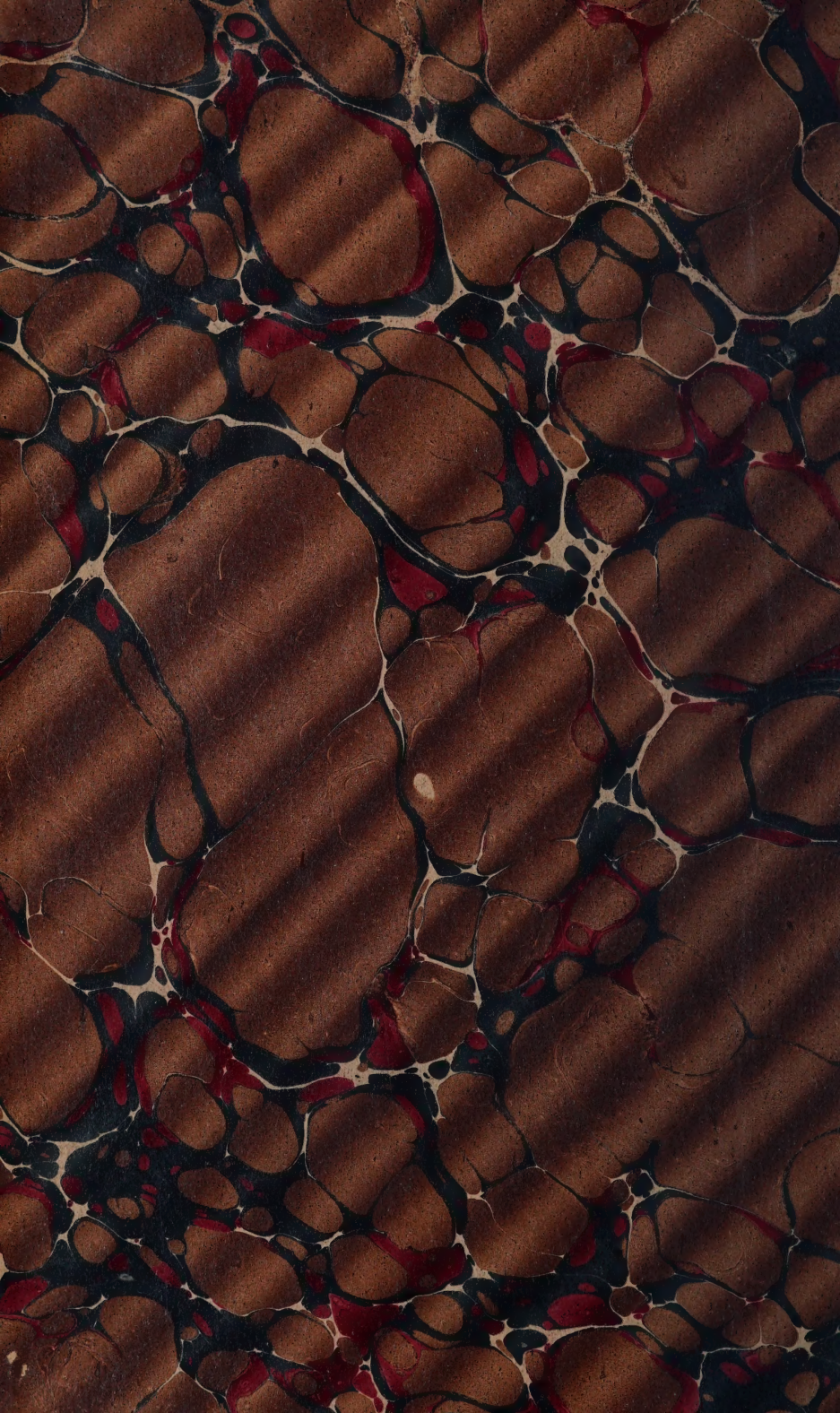


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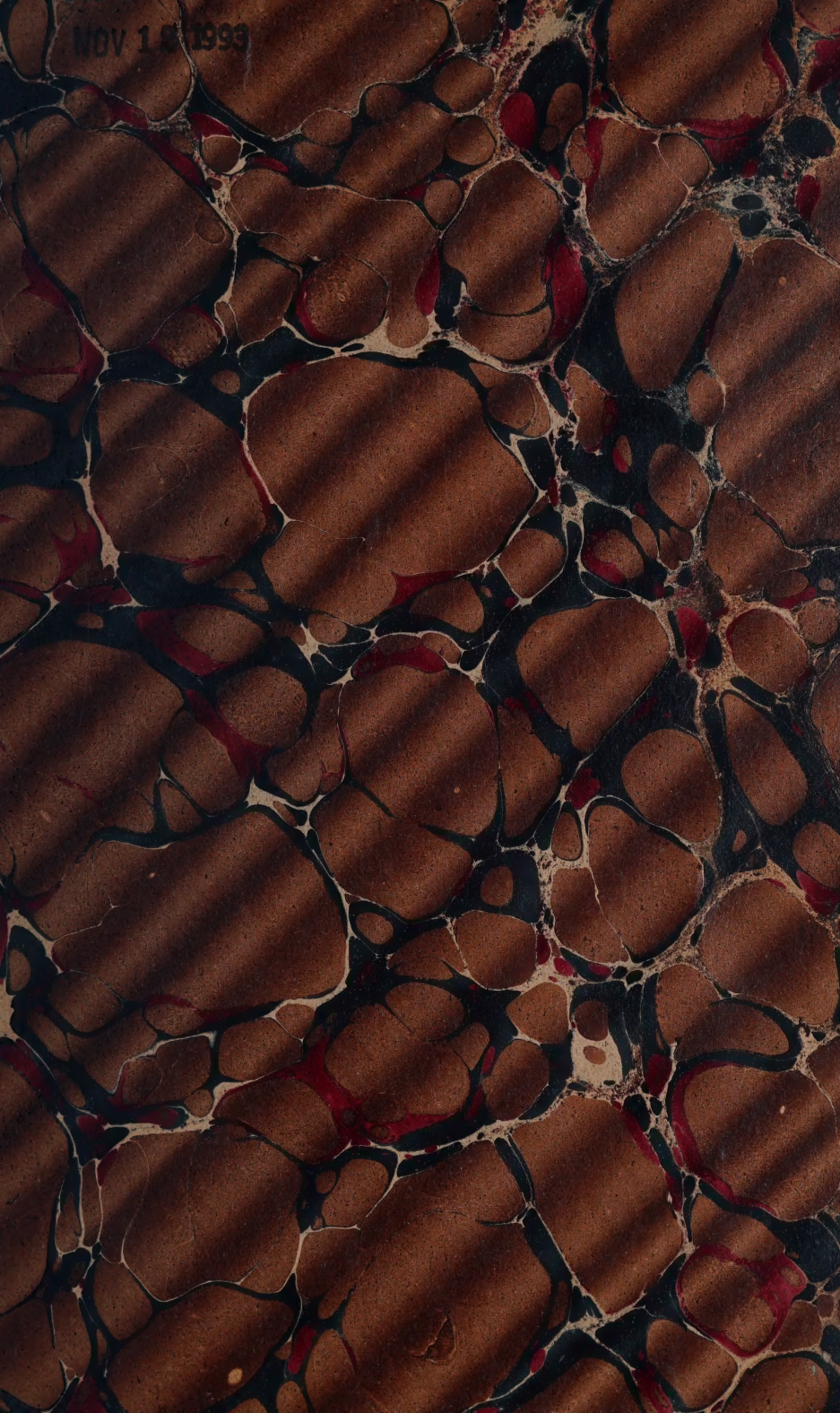
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OF THE  
**City of Rochester,**  
**New Hampshire,**  
FOR THE  
Year Ending December 31st,  
1900.



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# INAUGURAL ADDRESS OF MAYOR HORACE L. WORCESTER.

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*Gentlemen of the City Council :*

By the will of the people as duly expressed by the legal voters in December last, their welfare and interests are intrusted to our keeping for another year, and I know that you will join with me in assuring them we appreciate the honor thus conferred.

And while I desire to thank all citizens, irrespective of party, for their more than generous support at the polls, I do not feel it a personal tribute to myself, but rather as an evidence of the cordial relations that have existed for so long in our city between the two parties and by which we have been able to secure the services of many of our best citizens that would not enter an unseemly struggle for office, but when called by unanimous voice of all, have sacrificed their personal feelings and given their best services to our city.

This is as it should be; and in filling the various offices which it is our duty to do, the qualifications and fitness of the candidates for the various offices, should be considered by you, rather than to what party they belong.

The responsibilities and duties which we assume will require the exercise of our best thought and care, and the citizens of our city have a right to expect our best efforts in their behalf, and I know I voice your sentiments when I say, we will do the best we can.

It is not always clear what is the best thing to do with the

pressing needs of the various departments, and a lack of funds in them all, it is often hard to determine what should be done and what left undone. And with the different parts of our city pressing their claims, it is impossible to please all. Therefore let us be considerate as possible and believe our various committees will act for what seems to be for the best good.

### FINANCE.

The question of finance is the one on which all others depend.

During the year it was observed that the notes against the city were drawing three and one-half ( $3\frac{1}{2}$ ) per cent interest; and realizing that only a few of our savings banks pay more than three (3) per cent, upon advice of the city solicitor and the finance committee, all outstanding notes against the city were called in and paid or a new note given at three (3) per cent, and in nearly every instance a new note was taken, thus effecting an annual saving in our interest account of about two hundred dollars (\$200.00).

#### LIABILITIES JANUARY 1, 1901.

Outstanding notes,	\$ 80,370 60
Bills approved, unpaid,	658 12
Sewer bonds,	103,700 00
Cash in treasury belonging to water works,	12,782 97
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	\$197,511 69

#### ASSETS.

Due on collector's list,	\$19,304 97
Boston & Maine railroad stock,	800 00
Cash in treasury,	11,570 21
Net indebtedness, aside from water bonds,	<hr/>
	31,675 18
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	\$165,836 51
A net reduction in our indebtedness of	\$1,407 00



Amount of sewer bonds, \$200,000 00.

It may be well to state at this time, for the benefit of the Finance Committee in making their estimate for the coming year, the amount of indebtedness increased during the year by vote of the City Council, as follows :

Special appropriation for school house lot,	\$5,000 00
To opening new street through Wallace field,	1,200 00
Constructing sewer from Leonard to Summer street,	638 49
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	\$6,838 49

#### HIGHWAYS.

There is no question that so closely concerns every citizen of our city as that of good roads. When we realize the difference in the cost of transportation between good and poor roads, we can see at a glance that poor roads are an expensive affair. Great improvements have been made in the method of building roads within a decade, and will continue to improve. Different soil requires different treatment, and whoever aspires to the care and construction of our roads should make it a study and profit by the experience of others.

During the flood of last spring the bridge over Isinglass river, between Rochester and Barrington, was partly carried away, and, owing to the repeated damage by ice in the past, it was deemed advisable to erect an iron bridge with one span, thus doing away with the two piers, leaving a clear channel for the flow of ice. This was a new departure in bridge building for our city, but your committee are of the opinion it was a wise one, and have no doubt it will be followed in the future.

Much complaint coming to your committee on roads, in regard to Horse hill, between here and Meaderboro, after due investigation it was deemed wise to make great efforts to improve it, and I am pleased to say the result exceeded our expectations, for, while much remains to complete the work, the hill is in better condition than ever before, and we believe the result fully justified the expenditure.

During the year the macadam road has been extended from Railroad avenue to and through Liberty street. I believe it should be yet further extended the coming season, and some streets improved whose deplorable condition is now a reproach to our city.

It has been demonstrated that a thin coating of clay or crushed stone spread upon sandy spots in the road at the proper season, will mix with the soil and improve such places very materially. I would recommend that especial attention be given such places early in the season, that the best results may be obtained.

Attention is called to the work begun a few years since, of putting a coating of crushed stone on the road between here and East Rochester. I believe it should be continued until it reaches from our village to the other.

#### SIDEWALKS.

While I fully appreciate the beauty and comfort of concrete sidewalks, I am not in favor of putting down any more of them. It has been claimed that when partly worn they could be recovered at a trifling expense. Such have not been the facts; when recovered the expense has been considerable and the result in nearly all cases, very unsatisfactory. I would recommend that in all sidewalks laid in the future, brick be used instead of concrete.

#### SEWERAGE.

The subject of proper drainage for our city is one that concerns us deeply. With the improvements that have annually been made, much of our city is thoroughly drained. To all who remember the flooded condition of Summer street last spring, I will say we trust it can never be repeated. During the year a line of eighteen (18) inch pipe has been laid from Leonard to Summer street, which, it is believed, will be ample for all ordinary seasons; but I will call your attention to that



which runs from Portland to Winter street, a part of it being only twelve (12) inches, which is inadequate to carry the water that comes to it from the other streets. I would recommend that, the coming season, it be relaid. I would also call your attention to the need of drainage for Prospect street, which at times is flooded.

Much trouble has arisen in the past from failure to fully understand existing conditions. While the city desires to aid and relieve its citizens when possible, it should be remembered that there are low sections that are always flooded in spring-time, and if one builds in such locality, the damage by flooded cellars is not the fault of the city. Such claims having been made to the city during the past year were rejected, as it was conceded the city was not in fault.

Plans were made a few years since for continuing and completing the sewer at East Rochester. This I believe should be done, as in its present condition it is very unsatisfactory.

#### WATER DEPARTMENT.

The question of how to obtain a better supply of water is one that presses itself upon every administration, and must soon be answered by putting down a new line of pipe from the city to the reservoir, but in order to postpone that time until the price of pipe will place the cost at a minimum figure, your committee have studied with much care. With the fast increasing number of services, the demand for water is so great that at times the pressure at East Rochester and this village is so low as to be of no practical value in case of fire. Such a state of affairs is dangerous and a risk we cannot afford to take.

The committee have decided to place meters in all livery stables January 1st, which, I believe, will result in a saving to our city.

I would recommend a frequent inspection of the water service by the superintendent, that any error may be speedily corrected.

There is one important and quite prevalent abuse of the water privilege which calls for special mention. During the

summer season it is the custom of many to let the water run night and day upon their lawns. Such practice is a violation of the rules and cannot be tolerated. When the water was first brought to the city there were few consumers, and it was a matter of little importance, the supply being equal to the demand, but now the most rigid care must be exercised, and any such violations of the rules will necessitate the shutting off of the water.

#### PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

I am pleased to say that during the year, perfect harmony has prevailed among the members of the board while strong efforts have been made to increase the efficiency of our schools.

It is coming to be a generally recognized fact that to compete successfully, a teacher must have a special training for this work and the time will soon come when all who teach must be graduates of some training institution.

In some states the school year is forty weeks, and in order that our scholars may compete on more even terms, it was thought advisable to increase the school year two weeks, making it thirty-eight weeks.

The question of accommodation has been one of great importance for several years, but now bids fair to soon be settled. During the year, plans have been selected and the contract for a new High School building of eight rooms awarded, which when completed, we trust, will provide ample accommodations for many years to come, unless possibly in the primary department, in which case the expense would be small.

Upon completion and occupation of the new building, the Main street and Upham street school buildings will be no longer needed for school purposes. I would recommend the same then be sold and proceeds devoted to reduction of indebtedness of new building.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

During the year a steam fire alarm has been purchased, which can be heard at all parts of the city, an improvement greatly needed.

"In time of peace prepare for war," is an old axiom, yet as true today as when spoken. For a long term of years our city has been singularly free from disastrous fires, due in no small degree to the efficiency of our firemen, and that maintained under the most adverse circumstances. Firemen are proverbial for having good, comfortable quarters, and to maintain their present high standard under such adverse conditions entitles them to our highest admiration.

One year ago I called attention to the pressing need of a fire station, and I deem it proper to again place it before you.

With the hook and ladder truck deteriorating, and the hose weakening for want of proper drying, I feel the subject of a fire station should be carefully considered by you and some action taken in the near future.

## ELECTRIC ROAD.

The subject of an electric road is a new one for us to consider, but I deem it one of vital importance to our city. It comes to us asking the franchise of our streets, which have cost us hundreds of thousands of dollars. It should be given careful consideration, that no valuable privilege be thrown away and no property unduly damaged thereby.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

All realize the trying duties of our police officers and how utterly impossible it is to please everyone, but I believe, a firm and impartial enforcement of the city ordinances relating to the closing of the various places nights and Sundays, would do away with much complaint and be better for all.

For a detailed account of the department I refer you to the City Marshal's report.



## PARKS AND COMMONS.

Believing the time has arrived when some attention should be given to beautifying our city, an appropriation was made by the former council for the purpose of improving Woodman square. The work of grading is well under way and upon the opening of spring will be completed, and I believe every citizen will feel the improvement is a step in the right direction.

Could the land in the rear of the High School building, known as the "Intervale," be purchased at a reasonable price, and the Common at the southern part of the city sold, and the proceeds applied to the payment of the above, in a few years we would have a park unrivalled by any city in New Hampshire.

## PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The importance of the benefit of our public library is growing yearly in the minds of those who keep in touch with its work. In the absence of a school library, its volumes are constantly sought by our pupils and the new lines of work taken up by the various clubs make it of great value.

The new volumes added the past year have been selected with especial reference to the lines above mentioned. With its rapid increase in growth new quarters must soon be provided.

In closing I desire to thank the members of the City Council for their unvarying courtesy and kindness during the entire year. It will ever be remembered by me with much pleasure.

To the city solicitor I am deeply grateful for his watchful care and advice so freely given at all times.

No words will express my obligation to the city clerk. His advice has been often sought and always good counsel received.

# CITY GOVERNMENT

## As Organized January 2nd, 1901.

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MAYOR, HORACE L. WORCESTER.

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<i>City Clerk</i> .....	CHAS. W. BROWN
<i>Treasurer</i> .....	JOHN L. COPP
<i>City Solicitor</i> .....	SAMUEL D. FELKER
<i>Tax Collector</i> .....	JAMES B. STEVENS
<i>Street Commissioner</i> .....	GEO. T. McDUFFEE
<i>Supt. of Water Works and Sewers</i> .....	LEANDER P. PICKERING
<i>Marshal</i> .....	CHAS. A. ALLEN
<i>Asst. Marshal</i> .....	EDGAR M. CATE
<i>Night Watch</i> .....	FERDINAND SYLVAIN
<i>Police at Gonio</i> .....	WINSLOW L. PUGSLEY
<i>Police at East Rochester</i> .....	FRANK L. LONG
“ “ .....	EUGENE Y. TRAFTON
<i>Chief Engineer Fire Dept.</i> .....	GEO. H. WEBSTER
<i>1st Asst.</i> “ “ .....	HORACE C. HANSON
<i>2nd</i> “ “ “ .....	LESLIE M. SEAVEY
<i>3d</i> “ “ “ .....	CHAS. W. CHISHOLM
<i>4th</i> “ “ “ .....	GRANVILLE F. GRANT
<i>Sanitary Officer</i> .....	SHERWOOD W. GOODWIN
<i>Overseer of Poor</i> .....	JOHN H. NEAL
<i>City Physician</i> .....	CHAS. BLAZO

### BOARD OF HEALTH.

Sherwood W. Goodwin, John H. Neal, Chas. Blazo.

## ASSESSORS.

Henry F. Walker, Nahum Yeaton, S. F. Shorey.

## TRUSTEES PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Mayor H. L. Worcester, George L. Harrington, Sumner Wallace, Stephen C. Meader, John Young, James Farrington, Willis McDuffee.

## SCHOOL BOARD.

Mayor H. L. Worcester, Wilbur F. Cole, Benj. H. Mooney, Arthur L. Brock, William M. Ames, Samuel D. Felker, Nahum Yeaton, Dr. Ernest Duval, Leslie P. Snow, J. Frank Springfield, John Hanscam, Dr. D. L. Stokes, Henry M. Plumer.



## STANDING COMMITTEES.

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*Finance*,—The Mayor, Councilmen Wallace and S. B. Hayes.

*Shade Trees, Parks and Commons*,—The Mayor, Councilmen Richards and Berry.

*Public Instruction*,—The Mayor, Councilmen Geddis and B. F. Hayes.

*Claims and Accounts*,—Councilmen Ricker, Springfield and Hoyt.

*Public Buildings*,—Councilmen Maguire, Jacobs and Keates.

*Roads, Bridges and Drains*,—Councilmen Wallace, Greenfield and S. B. Hayes.

*Water Works and Sewers*,—Councilmen Meader, Barker and Greenfield.

*Fire Dept.*,—Councilmen Maguire, Poisson and Keates.

*Street Lights*,—Councilmen Ricker, B. F. Hayes and Horne.

*Printing*,—Councilmen Springfield, Poisson and Geddis.

*Elections and Returns*,—Councilmen Meader, Jacobs and E. C. Hayes.

*Adams and Old Cemetery Funds*,—Councilmen Ricker, Richards and Berry.

*Bills in their Second Reading and Enrolled Ordinances*,—Councilmen Barker, Hoyt and Horne.

*Legal Affairs*,—The Mayor, Councilmen S. B. Hayes and Barker.

*Purchasing Committee*,—The Mayor, Councilmen Meader and Wallace.

*Police*,—The Mayor, Councilmen Meader and E. C. Hayes.

## COUNCILMEN.

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<i>Ward One</i> .....	{ GEORGE A. JACOBS, SIDNEY B. HAYES, EDWARD C. HAYES.
<i>Ward Two</i> .....	{ GEORGE O. RICHARDS, JAMES GEDDIS, SIMON L. HORNE.
<i>Ward Three</i> .....	{ STEPHEN C. MEADER, CHAS. H. KEATES, BENJ. F. HAYES.
<i>Ward Four</i> .....	{ PETER POISSON, GEO. H. SPRINGFIELD, ARTHUR L. BERRY.
<i>Ward Five</i> .....	{ FRANK B. MAGUIRE, JOHN GREENFIELD, ORRIN A. HOYT.
<i>Ward Six</i> .....	{ CHAS. S. BARKER, CHAS. E. RICKER, ALBERT WALLACE.

*Selectmen* ..... { Wilbur F. Cole,  
John W. Clark,  
Elmer E. Loud.

*Selectmen* ..... { Frank Sleeper,  
Ernest L. Berry,  
Chas. H. Wormhood.

*Selectmen* ..... { Bickford Rand,  
Arthur H. Hayes,  
Granville F. Grant.

*Selectmen* ..... { J. Frank Reed,  
Richard Thompson,  
Aurelle Beaudoin.





## Recommendation of Finance Committee for Annual Appropriation.

*To the City Council of the City of Rochester, N. H. :*

The committee on Finance have carefully considered the needs of the several departments for the ensuing year, and would recommend that the following sums be appropriated for the support of the various departments for the ensuing year :

Hydrants,	\$2,000 00
Fire department,	2,400 00
Sidewalks,	900 00
Salaries,	4,400 00
Highways,	9,000 00
Miscellaneous department,	1,500 00
Sampson Post, G. A. R.,	150 00
East Rochester reading room,	200 00
Street lights,	6,600 00
City poor and Soldiers' Aid,	1,300 00
Free public library and reading room,	1,400 00
Police department,	1,000 00
East Rochester schoolhouse,	2,000 00
Gonic schoolhouse,	3,725 00
Bonds, Series 5,	6,500 00
Interest on sewer bonds,	3,620 00
Schools, together with dog money and Literary Fund,	18,500 00
Health department,	200 00
County tax,	14,910 03
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Total,	\$80,305 03

H. L. WORCESTER,	}	Committee
ALBERT WALLACE,	}	on
SIDNEY B. HAYES,	}	Finance.

## **RESOLUTIONS OF APPROPRIATION, AMENDMENTS TO THE GENERAL ORDINANCE, RULES AND ORDERS.**

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### **Resolution for Annual Appropriation.**

*Resolved by the City Council of the City of Rochester :*

That the sum of \$80,000 be raised by taxation, and the balance required to make the amount \$80,305.03 be taken from the amount coming from the state.

Passed January 16th, 1900.

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### **Resolution to pay Land Damages.**

*Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the city of Rochester :*

That the sum of twelve hundred dollars (\$1200) be raised by note or notes of said city for the purpose of paying the award made by the City Council to the heirs of E. G. & E. Wallace, and that said sum shall constitute a portion of the city debt.

Passed May 1st, 1900.

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### **Resolution to Purchase Evans Lot for School Purposes.**

*Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the city of Rochester :*

That the sum of five thousand and one hundred dollars be raised on note or notes of said city for the purpose of purchasing the Evans lot, so called, situate on Wakefield street and



bounded by said Wakefield street, land of the city of Rochester, the Boston & Maine railroad and land of George E. Greenfield, said lot being owned by Mary A. Locke. Said money to be used by the school board, five thousand (\$5,000) dollars to purchase the same, and one hundred dollars, or so much of it as may be necessary, to pay the taxes and water rates on said property for the year 1900. Said sum of five thousand and one hundred dollars to constitute a portion of the city debt.

Passed June 14th, 1900.

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## **Resolution Appropriating \$25,000 for the Erection of a New School Building.**

*Resolved by the City Council of the City of Rochester :*

That the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars be raised by note or notes of said city for the purpose of building a new school building on the Evans and old school house lot on Wakefield street in said city and that said sum of twenty-five thousand dollars constitute a portion of the city debt.

Passed June 14, 1900.

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## **Resolution Appropriating Money for Con- struction of Surface Sewers.**

*Resolved by the City Council of the City of Rochester :*

That, for the purpose of making necessary addition to the surface sewers, there be raised on note or notes of the city of Rochester the sum of three thousand dollars, to be expended under the direction of the Committee on Roads, Bridges and Drains. That said sum of three thousand dollars shall constitute a portion of the city debt.

Passed Sept. 4th, 1900.

## **Resolution for Additional Appropriation for the New School Building.**

*Resolved by the Mayor and City Council of the City of  
Rochester :*

That the sum of five thousand dollars be raised on note or notes of said city, and that said sum constitute a portion of the city debt. Said money to be used in connection with the twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) already raised to build a new high school building on the Evans lot, so called, by the committee already appointed for the purpose.

Passed November 22d, 1900.

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## **Resolution for Additional Appropriation for New School Building.**

*Resolved by the City Council of the City of Rochester :*

That the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars be appropriated, in addition to the amount already appropriated for the erection of a new high school building.

That said sum of twenty-five hundred dollars be raised on note or notes of the city and shall constitute a portion of the city debt.

Passed January 1st, 1901.

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## **Ordinance Regulating Duties and Pay of Janitor.**

*Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Rochester as  
follows :*

That the mayor of said city of Rochester shall have the sole power of appointment of a janitor for said city and the sole

power to discharge him at any time. The duties of said janitor shall be to oversee and take care of and make all repairs upon the police and fire alarm wires and system belonging to said city. He shall take care of the city building, keeping the same in proper condition, and care for the heating apparatus and lights and attend to the lighting and heating of said building, and shall take care of the police station and attend to all matters connected therewith, wind the town clock, keep the lawn on Central square in proper condition, and he shall assist in all liquor raids made in said city, and shall serve as special police officer upon Sunday and upon all other times during the day when required by the mayor or city marshal, and shall carry the prisoners to the jail or county farm when directed by the mayor or city marshal, and in the performance of his duties as police officer he shall be under the orders of the city marshal and at all times subject to the orders of the mayor. Said janitor shall be paid forty-five (45) dollars per month for his services and all fees due and payable to him in his capacity as a police officer, or from any source, shall be paid to the city.

Passed July 3d, 1900.

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## Curfew Ordinance.

*Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Rochester as follows:*

SECTION 1. No youth under the age of sixteen (16) years of age, unaccompanied by his or her parent or guardian, shall appear upon the public streets, alleys or squares of said city, nor in any public dance hall or other place of amusement after the hour of nine (9) o'clock in the afternoon.

SEC. 2. Any youth convicted of the offence described in the foregoing section shall be fined not exceeding ten (10) dollars or imprisoned not exceeding six (6) months, and for good cause shown, the justice of said court may suspend sentence



during good behavior, such youth's parent or guardian becoming surety for the future good conduct of such youth, and, providing that upon the arrest for the first offence the officer making such arrest may ascertain the wishes of the parent or guardian of such youth and if in his judgment, the circumstances warrant such action and said parent or guardian becomes responsible to him for the future good conduct of such youth, he or she may be discharged from arrest without proceeding in police court thereon being had.

Passed October 2nd, 1900.

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## **Amendment to Section 1 of the Rules and Orders of the City Council.**

Section 1 of the Rules and Orders of the City Council is hereby amended as follows: By adding at the end thereof the following: "Except that the regular meeting for the month of November shall be held on the Wednesday following the first Monday of said month at 7.30 o'clock P. M., and that the regular meeting for the month of December shall be held on the Thursday following the first Tuesday of said month at two o'clock P. M."

Passed December 6th, 1900.

## FACTS ABOUT ROCHESTER.

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Town of Rochester Chartered,	1722
First settlement,	1728
Town organized,	1737
City Charter adopted,	1891
Population in 1890,	7396
Population in 1900, by wards :	
Ward one,	1131
two,	1223
three,	1517
four,	1894
five,	964
six,	1738
Total,	8467
Assessed valuation in 1900,	\$4,004,062
Real estate,	2,824,000
Polls,	219,500
Personal property,	960,562
Tax rate per hundred,	2 00
Altitude above sea level,	227.46 feet
Number of miles of water main,	25
Number of miles of sewerage,	16, 1632 feet
Sewerage at East Rochester,	11,515 feet
Sewerage at Gonio,	933 feet
Number of Fire Hydrants,	167
Number of Electric Lights,	98 Arc

## ITEMIZED ACCOUNT

Of the Expenditures of the Several Departments for the Year Ending December 31st, 1900.

### HIGHWAYS.

Paid Horace E. Davis, 2 load covering stone,	\$ 1 00
Albert M. Weare, land damages,	125 00
Stephen A. Stokes, filing saws and repairs,	3 65
Frank E. Hussey, land damages,	50 00
Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	16 69
John O. Smart, teams,	2 50
W. M. Ames, running street lines,	16 20
R. T. Foss, assisting engineer,	1 00
Geo. H. Springfield, drawing stone and labor,	16 78
W. O. Chick, land damage,	25 00
Boston & Maine railroad, freight,	2 88
George W. Pearl, blacksmith work,	8 87
Tibbetts, Hayes & Manson, 1,450 feet plank,	20 30
Geo. W. Wallace, land damages,	25 00
Walker & Stevens, hay and kettle,	34 90
Rodney E. Cross, land damages,	20 00
Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	8 28
James B. Hayes, executor Chas. F. Hayes, land damage,	10 00
The Stovene Mfg. Co., 1 gallon metal polish,	1 25
James B. Callahan, blacksmith work,	14 05
Arthur H. Hayes, 11,785 lbs. hay,	106 07

Paid Rochester Lumber Co., lumber,	\$ 1 50
Rochester Foundry & Machine Co., pipe and repairs,	11 08
W. M. Ames, grades, etc.,	20 95
S. D. Wentworth, land damages,	25 00
John F. Quinlan, team,	1 04
Thos. Sherry, for H. E. Davis, stone,	57 44
Sarah A. Howe, land damages,	45 98
H. E. Davis, stone work, Isinglass bridge,	68 85
A. H. Hayes, 9,510 lbs. hay,	85 59
Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	20 12
Geo. W. Pearl, blacksmith work,	25 70
W. M. Ames, grades and street lines,	2 30
James B. Callahan, blacksmith work,	12 60
Rochester Lumber Co., posts and plank,	3 88
John F. Quinlan, teams,	3 50
E. G. & E. Wallace, land damages,	2,200 00
W. M. Ames, surveys and grades,	3 75
Ellsworth Pearl, blacksmith work,	6 60
Ira B. Moore & Co., merchandise,	13 09
Owen Tuttle, caring for lanterns at Isinglass bridge,	22 00
E. L. Miles, 3 time books,	25
J. O. Smart, teams,	6 00
Morrill & Greenfield, cement,	29 00
W. M. Ames, grades and levels,	15 45
Charles W. Bradley, cement and coal,	7 35
Est. Eugene C. Roberts, blacksmith work,	5 60
John J. Frye, plow points,	5 00
Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	13 58
H. T. Harmon & Co., 1 steel scoop,	6 75
C. W. Bradley, coal,	9 00
Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	25 59
C. S. Seavey, hanging lanterns Isinglass bridge,	22 00
Eastern Bridge & Structural Co., Iron bridge over Isinglass river,	2,500 00



Paid W. O. Morrill, blacksmith work,	\$ 1 10
M. H. Plummer, repairs,	15 40
S. A. Stokes, sharpening drills,	80
Ellsworth Pearl, blacksmith work,	8 20
Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	15 19
Orrin F. Wingate, fork and spade,	1 25
L. S. Scruton, plan of part of Charles street,	14 74
J. O. Smart, teams,	1 25
James B. Callihan, blacksmith work,	13 50
Rochester Water Works, pipe,	13 80
Coheco Woolen Mfg. Co., lumber,	6 94
Gonic Mfg. Co., lumber and labor,	61 19
E. G. & E. Wallace, machine work,	12 55
Rochester Foundry & Machine Co., labor,	25 85
Sewerage Department, traps and labor,	15 51
James B. Callihan, blacksmith work,	5 00
George E. Varney, 420 ft. oak plank,	5 04
Felker Brothers, 2M ft. lumber,	28 00
Rochester Lumber Co., board,	30
J. H. Duntley, sharpening picks,	1 70
Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	5 79
Elliott Brothers, 5M brick,	15 00
Elliott Brothers, 7M brick,	45 50
Charles M. Bailey, merchandise,	8 00
Charles W. Bradley, $12\frac{3}{4}$ tons soft coal,	70 13
George F. Richardson, painting street signs,	52 65
Harry F. Howard, repairing concrete,	448 67
J. C. Daniels & Son, grain,	44 00
W. K. Kimball, grain,	319 14
Pay Rolls for Labor,	5,882 19
Eugene A. Watson, services street commissioner,	6 67
George T. McDuffee, " "	793 33
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	\$13,720 75

**Credit.**

By unexpended balance from 1899,	\$ 918 68
Annual appropriation,	9,000 00
Amount charged to macadamizing,	976 33
Appropriation for land damages,	1,200 00
Amount received from Boston & Maine railroad,	1,000 00
Amount charged to surface sewers,	13 00
“ “ sidewalks,	183 00
Material sold,	10 60
Amount returned account overpaid bill,	75
Amount received from S. D. Felker, costs recovered from Main road petitioners less expense and witness fees,	77 67
Received from police department,	340 72
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	\$13,720 75

## AMOUNT OF PAY ROLLS IN THE SEVERAL HIGHWAY DISTRICTS.

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District 1,	\$ 24 25
3,	500 00
4,	99 35
5,	13 25
8,	3,653 21
10,	73 50
11,	14 75
12,	162 57
13,	18 01
16,	419 50
17,	5 00
18,	8 73
19,	10 65
21,	537 10
24, and 25,	62 65
27,	41 91
28,	6 80
29,	25 49
30,	67 75
32,	30 75
33,	11 55
Isinglass bridge,	95 45

## MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENT.

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Paid J. T. Dodge, one-half cost fence on Summer street,	\$ 9 30
E. L. Miles, stationery,	3 24
S. A. Tuttle, truant officer, 1899,	30 00
Return births and deaths,	87 25
Return marriages,	18 75
F. W. Fifield, 100 committee cards,	3 50
Nahum Yeaton, auditing 1899 accounts,	25 00
United Gas & Electric Co., lighting city building,	267 95
Fairbanks & Rawson, 25 lbs. fertilizer,	1 00
John O. Smart, teams,	2 00
Berry & Shorey, snow shovel,	30
James H. Holt, labor on boiler,	1 75
John W. Dame, lock for closet,	75
A. S. Parshley & Son, insurance policies,	31 50
Hanscam & McDuffee, coffin and care body of William Ellsworth,	20 00
Chas. A. Allen, for fare to Pittsfield,	1 00
Loring, Short & Harmon, printing city reports,	288 70
New Hampshire Asylum for Insane, board Mrs. Warburton and Miss Tebbetts,	103 22
J. D. Hussey, balance on mileage,	14 00
W. M. Ames, numbering houses,	64 38
The Record Co., two advertisements,	2 75
Geo. G. Neal, binding reports,	37 00
Small Brothers, setting trees,	21 47
Old Cemetery Fund, interest on bonds,	31 50
Adams Fund, interest on bonds,	25 20
The Record Co., 1 advertisement,	3 75



Paid Courier Publishing Co., printing,	\$ 5 00
Courier Publishing Co., advertisements,	3 75
F. W. Fifield & Co., printing postal cards and tax bills,	12 50
Allen Twombly, setting stone boundary,	3 00
John W. Dame, carpenter work,	19 05
Samuel Hobbs & Co., 5 tax collector's books,	17 50
David Graham, winding clock,	6 50
John F. Quinlan, teams,	4 29
Frank Sylvain, 2 ft. wood, ward four,	1 50
N. T. Kimball, balance on mileage,	9 25
A. E. Otis, wintering plants, etc.,	5 00
E. L. Miles, stationery,	2 00
A. H. Chase, cutting grass,	45
James A. Kay, care statue grounds,	4 40
The Record Co., auction bills,	2 50
Courier Publishing Co., printing,	1 00
Charles W. Bradley, coal and wood,	171 72
The Record Co., printing,	14 40
M. H. Griffin, painting,	7 49
The Globe Wernicke Co., two cases for blanks,	36 85
Yawman & Erbe Mfg. Co., 1 Lang doc. file,	3 75
Boston & Maine railroad, freight,	32
Rochester Carpet Co., paper screens and shades,	2 88
Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	3 25
J. D. Hussey, agent, balance on mileage,	14 25
Geo. M. Rankins, labor grading school house grounds,	36.00
Geo. M. Rankins, services as truant officer,	10 00
J. P. Jones, labor grading school house grounds,	24 00
Jona Wallingford, grade for school house grounds,	3 00
United Gas & Electric Co., wireing in city building,	2 00
Berry & Shorey, hose and lawn mower,	10 25

Paid The Globe Wernicke Co., card case and cards,	\$ 76 89
James H. Holt, work on boiler,	6 63
John W. Dame, oak lumber and labor,	1 00
Samuel Hobbs & Co., note book,	4 87
Record Co., printing check lists,	39 09
Samuel Jellerson, work on old cemetery,	10 00
Geo. Grondin, tending gate, election, ward four,	2 00
Joseph Tremain, tending gate, election, ward four,	2 00
Wilbur E. Horne, cleaning up ward room,	1 50
The Record Co., publishing curfew law,	3 25
O. F. Foss, gate keeper, ward six,	2 40
Morrill & Greenfield, 2 ft. wood,	1 50
J. G. Morrill & Co., 15 lbs. red top,	1 80
Nahum Yeaton, grading Gonic school house grounds,	52 50
Geo. H. Torr, gate keeper, ward five,	2 00
Willis O. Higgins, damage to horse,	65 00
Chas. W. Brown, for express and postage paid,	12 43
F. W. Crocker, patching plastering,	50
Courier Publishing Co., printing check lists, etc.,	53 28
Hayes & Shapleigh, grading East Rochester school house grounds,	12 00
Rochester Lumber Co., ballot box and table,	11 00
J. H. Duntley, keys and repairs,	65
W. M. March, voting booth, ward five,	7 20
Blaisdell Brothers, grass seed, East Rochester school house grounds,	95
Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	1 13
Morrill & Greenfield, coal,	58 50
Board and room for woman,	2 00
Walker & Stevens, sprinkling streets during fair,	20 00
Henry F. Walker, selling buildings on Evans lot,	3 00
Cooper & Junkins, oil heater,	5 00

Paid Chas. M. Bailey, merchandise and repairs,	\$ 28 53
Geo. H. Tilton, care of clock,	15 00
Chas. W. Bradley, 3 cords wood,	14 58
S. W. Goodwin, trimming trees,	4 85
New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.,	46 92
Pay roll for labor, Woodman square,	61 00
Stewart, Warren & Co., 4 check books,	19 50
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	\$2,183 56

### Credit.

By Unexpended balance from 1899,	\$ 878 52
Annual appropriation,	1,500 00
City clerk's fees,	109 55
Dividend Portland & Rochester railroad,	24 00
Dividend Boston & Maine railroad,	28 00
Amount received from show and circus licenses,	55 00
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	\$2,595 07
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Unexpended balance,	\$411 51

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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Paid David Lucy, fire patrol,	\$ 2 00
Horace H. Mills, watching fires,	1 60
Durgin & Pugsley, teams,	3 00
Orrin Q. Hoyt, fire patrol,	2 00
J. O. Smart, teams,	1 25
Theadore Lang, labor setting poles,	17 25
Boston & Maine railroad, freight,	1 41
Chas. Wiggin, watching fires,	2 00
Beattie Zinc Works, 100 zincs and 50 coppers,	55 00
American Electrical Works, 444 lbs. vitriol,	26 64
W. E. Decrow, repairing indicator,	38 38
E. C. Roberts, blacksmith work,	12 34
John O. Smart, teams,	1 80
John Robbins Mfg. Co., 7 firemen's badges,	7 00
Geo. W. Pearl, repairing whiffletrees,	1 25
M. E. Sterrett, trucking poles, &c.,	3 00
Benj. C. Mills, 1 cord hard wood sawed,	5 00
Chas. E. Gray, watching fires,	2 00
A. W. Richardson, drawing hose to fires,	2 00
M. E. Sterrett, drawing H. & L. to fires,	2 00
Adolph Menciaer, drawing hose to fire,	1 00
Walker & Stevens, drawing H. & L. to fires,	2 00
J. B. Young, drawing hose to fires,	2 00
Fenno W. Fifield, fire alarm cards,	4 00
James Piercy, services,	10 41
J. B. Young, carting men to brush fires,	1 50
Berry & Shorey, supplies,	58
Morrill & Greenfield, 1 cord wood,	5 50
Boston & Maine railroad, freight,	25
Chas. H. Kendall, labor on fire alarm,	2 50



Paid Geo. M. Stevens, two dozen jars,	\$ 6 00
John F. Quinlan, teams,	1 00
M. J. Donahue, cleaning out vault,	1 00
Pay roll for fire patrol July 4th,	64 00
Walker & Stevens, drawing hose to fire,	1 00
Ira B. Moore & Co., merchandise,	12 61
Geo. Ham, services,	4 91
Pay roll fire patrol July 4th,	18 00
M. E. Sterrett, drawing hose to fire,	1 00
Samuel Shaw, fire patrol,	2 00
Henry C. Walker, drawing hose to fire,	1 00
Herbert S. Glidden, drawing hose to fire,	1 00
W. H. Watson, piping Cocheco house,	3 62
Chas. E. Gray, watching fire,	2 00
Theodore Land, 1½ days work,	2 25
Thos. Ludden, fire patrol,	4 00
A. J. Clark, building fire tower,	101 62
Thomas H. Roberts, labor on fire alarm,	30 37
Rochester Carpet Co., duster,	3 50
Henry C. Walker, carting,	85
M. H. Plummer, repairs and merchandise,	2 15
John W. Dame, repairing roof on Cocheco house,	4 40
S. A. Stokes, whiffletree and fitting irons,	1 35
Cornelius Callahan, 600 ft. hose,	330 00
George M. Stevens, steam whistle and chime,	325 80
Boston & Maine railroad, freight on vitriol,	52
Wilbur E. Horne, watching box 16 on July 4th,	2 00
Charles E. Valley, drawing hose to fire,	1 00
Hanscam & McDuffee, two wool dusters,	1 20
Rochester Water Works, repairing pipe, mill yard,	17 44
W. E. Decrow, 100 battery coppers,	15 00
P. H. Hartigan, oil,	2 15
J. T. Hoyt, fire patrol,	2 00
J. H. Duntley, repairs, etc.,	4 00

Paid A. W. Richardson, drawing hose to fire,	\$ 2 00
Albert Mortimer, watching fires,	2 00
Pay roll Hook & Ladder Co.,	425 00
Pay roll Harrington Hose Co.,	250 00
Mrs. V. Horne, storing engines,	3 00
United Gas & Electric Co., poles, irons and labor,	4 70
Berry & Shorey, supplies,	2 40
Pay Roll A. D. Whitehouse Hose Co.,	250 00
Louis M. Richardson, asst. engineer,	25 00
Chas. V. Horne, " "	25 00
Pay roll Torrent Hose Co.,	209 60
Geo. H. Webster, chief engineer,	50 00
Orrin Q. Hoyt, fire patrol,	2 00
Pay roll Cocheco Hose Co.,	225 00
Pay roll Ela Hose Co.,	325 00
Chas. M. Bailey, merchandise,	11 90
Geo. H. Tilton, 1 bottle clock oil,	25
Amos J. Clark, asst. engineer,	25 00
" shoveling out hydrants,	9 40
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	\$3,034 65

### Credit.

By unexpended balance from 1899,	\$ 188 99
Annual appropriation,	2,400 00
Amount transferred from police department,	445 66
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	\$3,034 65

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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Paid N. L. Berry, services,	\$ 6 25
W. L. Pugsley, teams and wood,	12 50
Geo. E. Cochrane, services as counsel for minors in police court,	10 00
John O. Smart, teams,	5 50
Berry & Shorey, 2 quarts sperm oil,	75
John O. Smart, teams,	4 80
A. D. Richmond, labor setting poles,	189 70
The Record Co., printing 500 writs,	9 50
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., wire and brass,	15 34
Bibber, White & Co., 184 lbs. galvanized iron,	10 12
County of Strafford, board of prisoners at farm and jail,	63 78
M. E. Sterrett, taking prisoner to lockup,	25
William Wright, defending minor,	3 00
John F. Quinlan, teams,	8 90
S. H. Burnham, lunches for prisoners,	14 27
J. B. Young, taking man to city building,	50
Berry & Shorey, 2 quarts sperm oil,	75
John F. Quinlan, teams,	4 27
John O. Smart, team,	50
John Scarff, board of prisoners,	1 50
S. W. Goodwin, cleaning up lockup yard,	2 00
Berry & Shorey, 2 quarts sperm oil,	75
H. L. Cate, services as assistant Justice,	8 00
Charles W. Bradley, wood delivered to lockup,	34 02
O. E. Foss, lunches,	3 35
W. B. Miller, care H. Glidden,	2 00
Lizzie A. Goodwin, lunches,	4 40

Paid John Robbins Mfg. Co., police badges,	\$ 9 00
John O. Smart, teams,	2 75
Mrs. B. L. Bryant, lunches for prisoners,	1 60
I. Salinger & Co., 1 robe,	1 00
Mrs. B. L. Bryant, lunches for prisoners,	70
F. W. Fifield, printing 100 cards,	3 00
Morrill & Greenfield, wood to lockup,	11 00
Geo. H. Chapman, lodging for Mrs. Perry,	70
“ “ care of woman and board,	2 50
John D. Philbrick, oil, &c.,	12 56
Mrs. L. G. Goodwin, 15 meals,	3 75
Chas. W. Bradley, $\frac{1}{2}$ cord wood,	2 43
Chas. A. Allen, city marshal,	743 75
Edgar M. Cate, asst. marshal,	700 00
Ferdinand Sylvain, night watch,	700 00
Winslow L. Pugsley, police at Gonic,	100 00
Frank L. Long, police at East Rochester,	50 00
Eugene Y. Trafton, police at East Rochester,	50 00
S. D. Wentworth, police justice,	300 00
Henry F. Walker, clerk police court,	100 00

## Special police, as follows :

Cyrille Vachon,	\$25 00
Patrick Keating,	18 00
James Connell,	17 00
Francis Armstrong,	21 00
Frank S. Edgerly,	13 00
George W. Preston,	8 00
W. A. Hanscam,	67 50
N. F. Woodman,	4 00
Peter Gagne,	18 00
Rodney E. Cross,	10 00
Frank H. Pettigrew,	3 00
Thomas Goodwin,	6 00
Frank L. Long,	6 00
A. F. Wilkinson,	8 00
John H. Pingree,	8 00



Chas. Tebbetts,	\$18 00
Edward Goodwin,	3 00
John Busch,	2 00
Thomas H. Gotts,	10 00
Chas. H. Prescott,	8 00
Patrick Troy,	8 00
I. D. Hodgdon,	7 00
John F. Quinlan,	2 00
William Cobin,	6 00
Hartley Wormhood,	11 00
A. E. Rollins,	8 00
W. W. Daggett,	8 00
J. S. Allen,	2 00
W. O. Morrill,	8 00
Edwin F. Dame,	8 00
F. P. Woodes,	8 00
Robinson & Abbott,	80 10
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	\$ 429 60
Total expenditures,	3,641 04
Transferred to poor department,	137 33
Transferred to highway department,	340 72
Transferred to fire department,	445 66
Transferred to sidewalk department,	111 57
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	\$4,676 32

### Credit.

Unexpended balance from 1899,	\$1,119 56
Annual appropriation,	1,000 00
Received from C. A. Allen, costs and fines,	4,064 00
Received from H. F. Walker, clerk police court, fees,	22 40
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	\$6,205 96
Unexpended balance,	<hr/>
	\$1,529 64

## SALARY DEPARTMENT.

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Paid Horace L. Worcester, mayor,	\$400 00
Chas. W. Brown, city clerk,	650 00
John L. Copp, treasurer,	150 00
Samuel D. Felker, city solicitor,	500 00
Chas. Blazo, city physician,	150 00
John H. Neal, overseer of poor,	200 00
S. W. Goodwin, sanitary officer,	350 00
J. B. Stevens, tax collector, salary for 1899,	781 02
W. A. Hanscam, janitor city building,	469 98

### ASSESSORS.

S. F. Shorey,	\$129 50
Nahum Yeaton,	164 50
H. F. Walker,	142 50

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\$436 50

### Ward Officers.

#### SELECTMEN.

<i>Ward One,</i>	Paid Elmer E. Loud,	\$8 00
	Wilbur F. Cole,	8 00
	John W. Clark,	8 00
<i>Ward Two,</i>	Chas. H. Wormhood,	8 00
	Frank Sleeper,	8 00
	Ernest E. Berry,	8 00
<i>Ward Three,</i>	Chas. A. Watson,	8 00
	Bickford Rand,	8 00
<i>Ward Four,</i>	Aurette Beaudoin,	8 00
	J. Frank Reed,	8 00
	Richard Thompson,	8 00

<i>Ward Five,</i>	Paid Wm. K. Kimball,	\$8 00
	Chas. W. Gerrish,	8 00
	Chas. W. Campbell,	8 00
<i>Ward Six,</i>	Patrick Keating,	8 00
	J. Harry Parquette,	8 00
	David M. Brock,	8 00
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		\$136 00

## MODERATORS.

<i>Ward One,</i>	Ezra Pray,	\$6 00
<i>Two,</i>	Harlan P. Horne,	6 00
<i>Three,</i>	Geo. W. Osborne,	6 00
<i>Four,</i>	Arthur L. Berry,	6 00
<i>Five,</i>	Frank I. Smith,	6 00
<i>Six,</i>	Chas. E. Woodward,	6 00
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		\$36 00

## WARD CLERKS.

<i>Ward One,</i>	Paid Joel W. McCrillis,	\$8 00
	Drawing jurors,	4 00
<i>Ward Two,</i>	F. P. Whitehouse,	8 00
	Drawing jurors,	3 50
<i>Ward Three,</i>	Louis M. Richardson,	8 00
	Drawing jurors,	4 00
<i>Ward Four,</i>	Joseph L. Jacques,	8 00
	Drawing jurors,	3 50
<i>Ward Five,</i>	Chas. A. Jellerson,	8 00
	Drawing jurors,	3 50
<i>Ward Six,</i>	A. H. Durgin,	8 00
	Drawing jurors,	3 50
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		\$70 00

## SUPERVISORS OF CHECK LIST.

Paid Chas. W. Bickford,	\$15 00
S. D. Wentworth,	15 00
Archie Beaudoin,	15 00
Chas. W. Wentworth,	15 00
Chas. A. Reed,	10 00
Arthur N. Brock,	10 00
Henry W. Peaslee,	10 00
Andrew R. Nute,	5 00
Arthur O. Ames,	5 00
John P. Rowe,	5 00

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 \$105 00

## BALLOT INSPECTORS.

<i>Ward One,</i>	Paid Geo. H. Knox,	\$2 40
	Chas. E. Quimby,	2 40
	M. J. Donahue,	2 40
	Fred H. McCrillis,	2 40
<i>Ward Two,</i>	Wilbur H. Webber,	2 00
	M. J. Cannovan,	2 00
	Chas. E. Vallyely,	2 00
	W. C. Sanborn,	2 00
<i>Ward Three,</i>	W. L. Pugsley,	2 40
	J. S. Allen,	2 40
	Chas. M. Horne,	2 40
	H. W. Felker,	2 40
<i>Ward Four,</i>	Chas. R. Brackett,	2 50
	Henry F. Walker,	2 50
	Simeon Bergeron,	2 50
	Henry Grondin,	2 00
<i>Ward Five,</i>	Frank E. Chivers,	2 40
	Albert H. Scott,	2 40
	Stephen A. Tuttle,	2 40
	Albert F. Wilkinson,	2 40

<i>Ward Six,</i>	Paid Henry L. Osborne,	\$2 40	
	Geo. E. Horne,	2 40	
	Chas. W. Hayes,	2 40	
	Frank B. Preston,	2 40	
		<hr/>	\$55 90
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	Total expenditures,		\$4,490 40

**Credit.**

Unexpended balance from 1899,	\$ 486 57	
Annual appropriation,	4,400 00	
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Unexpended balance,		\$396 17



## SEWERAGE DEPARTMENT.

### Maintenance Account.

Paid Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	\$ 1 26
M. E. Sterrett, trucking,	8 50
John F. Quinlan, teams,	2 33
Berry & Shorey, shellac and wedge,	97
Ira B. Moore & Co., merchandise,	3 61
Morrill & Greenfield, 2 casks cement,	2 80
Henry C. Walker, carting pipe,	30
F. M. Hall, labor,	1 50
Waldo Brothers, pipe,	165 50
Henry C. Walker, trucking,	3 25
M. H. Plummer, sponges and snap,	1 20
John W. Dame, labor,	1 40
Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	4 17
Rochester Water Works, 100 lbs. yarn,	6 00
Rochester Lumber Co., 86 ft. sheathing,	2 66
Berry & Shorey, iron and trowel,	90
Cooper & Junkins, bottoming pails,	19 90
Elliott Brothers, 850 brick,	8 10
Pay rolls for labor,	441 27
L. P. Pickering, superintendent,	200 00
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	\$875 62
Transferred to construction account,	14 50

### Credit.

Sewer connections paid,	\$966 87
Material sold,	83 06
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	\$1,049 93

**Construction Account.**

Paid J. B. Young, trucking,	\$ 25
Geo. D. Nowell, oil,	90
Morrill & Greenfield, 6 barrels cement,	7 50
W. M. Ames, grades for Barker court,	2 95
Morrill & Greenfield, 4 casks cement,	4 20
Berry & Shorey, 1 6-inch T,	48
F. W. Crocker, constructing manholes,	5 75
Rochester Foundry & Machine Co., 1 manhole frame and cover,	7 98
Elliott Bros., 1000 brick,	6 00
Pay roll for labor,	36 13
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	\$72 14

**Credit.**

By material sold,	\$57 64
Amount transferred from maintenance account,	14 50
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	\$72 14

**Surface Sewers.**

Paid Waldo Brothers, pipe,	\$102 24
“ “ “	106 15
Boston & Maine railroad, freight on pipe,	178 12
Morrill & Greenfield, 10 bbls. cement,	15 00
F. W. Crocker, constructing manholes,	14 95
Rochester Water Works, 6300 lbs. 16 inch iron pipe,	63 00
Sewerage Department, pipe and labor,	20 33
Rochester Water Works, 100 lbs. pig lead,	6 00
Morrill & Greenfield, 3 bbls. cement,	4 50
Elliott Brothers, 2200 brick,	13 20
Labor charged Highway Department,	13 00
Amount of pay rolls for labor,	102 00
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	\$638 49

Council authorized the hiring of \$3,000 for surface sewers.

## NOTES AND INTEREST ACCOUNT.

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Paid interest on note No. 274,	\$ 35 00
"            246,	56 00
"            302,	20 45
Interest on notes Nos. 294, 331, 333, 300, 295, 301, 333 and 344,	66 67
Interest on notes Nos. 270, 271 and 269,	12 25
"            321,	21 00
Note No. 316 in full,	112 72
Interest on note No. 297,	105 00
"            232,	168 35
"            235,	37 14
"            238,	21 00
"            241,	10 50
"            239,	10 50
"            240,	10 50
"            233 and 234,	17 50
Note No. 280, in full,	1,024 99
Interest on note No. 309,	7 00
"            263,	9 33
"            291,	47 27
"            251, 266 and 259,	77 00
"            314,	35 00
"            312,	4 54
"            317,	17 50
"            290,	35 00
Note No. 236, in part,	15 00
On note Nos. 285 and 286, (interest),	79 04
Interest on note No. 319,	11 55
"            250 and 281,	174 84
"            251, 259 and 266,	28 04

Paid Interest on note No. 289,	\$ 10 16
“ 257,	26 93
“ 325,	3 57
“ 267,	36 00
“ 245,	35 43
“ 329,	33 34
“ 328, 320, 253 and 254,	236 11
“ 273,	12 29
“ 42,	37 14
“ 41, 264 and 292,	84 58
“ 269, 270 and 271,	4 09
“ 243,	2 16
“ 242,	8 45
“ 314,	4 37
“ 319,	30 00
“ 297,	38 21
“ 236,	3 00
“ 235,	7 98
“ 279,	26 00
“ 232,	104 50
“ 252,	42 40
“ 248,	19 77
“ 239,	2 63
“ 323,	21 44
Note No. 246, in full,	1,622 24
Interest on notes Nos. 233 and 234,	4 91
“ 326,	29 75
“ 261,	56 33
“ 237 and 260,	195 57
“ 288,	19 34
Note No. 368, in full,	200 72
Interest on note No. 296,	8 31
Note No. 381, in part,	50 00
Interest on note No. 318,	14 00
“ 376,	63 20
“ 287,	14 00

Paid Interest on note No. 293,	\$ 27 77
"            285 and 286,	32 67
Note No. 343, in part,	25 00
Interest on note No. 324,	27 98
Note No. 343, in part,	25 00
"      381,  "	50 00
"      374,  "	50 00
"      377,  "	100 00
"      374,  "	50 00
"      321, in full,	306 42
"      309,  "	205 86
"      317,  "	512 20
Interest on note No. 274,	31 01
"            241,	8 40
Note No. 315, in full,	770 76
"      312,  "	109 86
"      318,  "	409 88
"      380,  "	306 13
"      392, in part, and interest,	518 86
Interest on note No. 244,	219 80
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	\$9,167 20



## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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Paid The Record Company, 200 cards,	\$2 00
James Walker estate, goods delivered W. F. Hartford while house was closed during sickness,	3 85
Dr. T. W. Luce, Antitoxine,	8 00
Courier Publishing Co., vaccination notices,	1 00
Mrs. M. Wallingford, work at William Hartford's,	4 00
	<hr/> \$18 85

### Credit.

Unexpended balance from 1899,	\$ 4 89	
Appropriation,	200 00	
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		\$204 89
Unexpended balance,		\$186 04

## SIDEWALK DEPARTMENT.

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Paid Horace E. Davis, 28 ft. flagging,	\$ 5 60
Harry F. Howard, building and repairing sidewalks,	757 29
F. H. Babb, laying brick,	25 00
Clarence Howard, 16½ ft. edge stone,	5 77
Lewis D. Gumb, edge stone and flagging,	157 34
Boston & Maine railroad, freight on stone,	35 56
Elliott Brothers, brick,	18 05
For labor performed and charged to Highway Department,	183 00
	<hr/> \$1,187 61

### Credit.

By balance from 1899,	\$176 04
Annual appropriation	900 00
Amount transferred from Police Department,	111 57
	<hr/> \$1,187 61

## DOG DEPREDACTIONS.

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Paid Geo. W. Bickford, 11 chickens and hens killed,	\$3 00
Mrs. J. F. Torr, 1 sheep killed,	3 00
Chas. W. Willand, sheep and 1 lamb killed and	
1 sheep injured,	8 50
Addison Jenness, 2 sheep killed,	6 00
Amasa Allen, 2 sheep killed,	8 00
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	\$28 50
Rec'd from dog licenses, 1899,	\$945 49
Amount transferred to School Department, 916 99	

## SUNDRY EXPENDITURES.

### Street Lights.

Paid United Gas and Electric Co.,	\$6,566 04
John F. Quinlan, team,	75
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	\$6,566 79

### Credit.

By annual appropriation,	\$6,600 00
Unexpended balance,	\$33 21
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### East Rochester Reading Room.

Paid G. L. Harrington, treasurer,	\$200 00
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### Credit.

By annual appropriation,	\$200 00
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### Sampson Post, G. A. R.

Paid John Pugsley, quartermaster,	\$150 00
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### Credit.

By annual appropriation,	\$150 00
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### School House Lot.

Paid Mary A. Locke,	\$5,000 00
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**Credit.**

By appropriation,	\$5,000 00
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**County of Strafford.**

Paid Geo. D. Nowell, treasurer, tax,	\$14,910 31
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**Credit.**

By appropriation,	\$14,910 03
In excess of appropriation,	\$ 28

**State of New Hampshire.**

Paid Solon A. Carter, treasurer, state tax,	\$8,296 00
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**Credit.**

By Amount received from insurance tax,	\$ 131 25
Amount received from railroad tax,	2,881 40
Amount received from savings bank	
tax,	9,426 03
Amount received from literary fund,	634 50
	\$13,073 18

**Hydrant Service.**

Paid Rochester Water Works,	\$2,000 00
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**Credit.**

By appropriation,	\$2,000 00
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**Free Public Library and Reading Room.**

Paid trustees,	\$1,400 00
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**Credit.**

By appropriation,	\$1,400 00
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## ADAMS FUND.

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This is a bequest left in trust to the town of Rochester forever, the income of which is to be paid to the poor widows, orphans and maiden ladies of the town of Rochester. The following named received the fund in 1900 :

Mary E. Webber,	Frances M. Dearborne,
Lizzie A. Hoyte,	Bridget Carroll,
Mary Marginson,	Lydia C. McDuffee,
Mrs. A. M. Demming,	Margaret Pollock,
Abbie Hussey,	Elizabeth W. Chase,
Sarah A. Foss,	Grace V. Hussey,
Hannah E. Foss,	Sarah A. Canney,
Elizabeth A. Hall,	Emeline Page,
Mrs. P. C. Sampson,	Eliza Bragdon,
Sarah A. Yeaton,	Lydia E. Jenness,
Mary E. Nute,	Alice McMullen,
Mary A. Perkins,	Mrs. Louisa Saunson,
Mrs. Sarah L. Fuse,	Julia B. Shapleigh,
Servesta Page,	Lena Rieple.
Mary Davidson,	Rebecca Brown,
Sarah E. Hooper,	L. W. Foss,
Lizzie M. Hanscam,	Martha D. Hayes,
Abbie D. Hayes,	Betsey C. Clayton,
Sarah A. Hurd,	Clara A. Warren,
Mrs. E. D. Grace,	Carrie H. Beecher,
Olive E. Ricker,	Sarah J. Durgin,
Joanna M. Linscott,	Ann Quimby,
Abigail Horne,	Mary H. Foss.
Mary J. Corson.	

They received seven  $\frac{50}{100}$  dollars each. The committee who have this fund in charge give it to the following named persons only: Those who are needy and have been residents of Rochester for at least ten years, aged ladies unable to work and who have no money at interest or near relatives able to care for them, or who do not draw a pension from the United States. It is the purpose of the committee to give it to those who are worthy.

The committee for 1901 are Chas. E. Ricker, Geo. O. Richards and Arthur L. Berry. All who expect to draw the fund another year must fill out the application blank and return it to the City Clerk's office on or before December 31st.

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

### Debit.

Outstanding notes,	\$ 80,370 60	
Bills approved and not paid,	658 12	
Sewer Bonds,	103,700 00	
Cash in treasury belonging to water works,	12,782 97	
	<hr/>	\$197,511 69

### Assets.

Due on Collector's list 1900,	\$19,264 97	
"      "      "   1899,	40 00	
Boston & Maine railroad stock,	800 00	
Cash in treasury,	11,570 21	
	<hr/>	\$31,675 18
Indebtedness not including water bonds,		\$165,836 51

## Report of Collector's Lists.

### 1899 List.

Due December 31st, 1899,	\$17,699 07	
Interest collected,	396 13	
Added list,	11 00	
	<hr/>	\$18,106 20
Paid Treasurer,	\$17,460 45	
Abatements,	605 75	
	<hr/>	\$18,066 20
Due,		<hr/> \$40 00

## 1900 List.

Amount of list committed for col- lection,	\$80,081 24	
Added list,	50 00	
	<hr/>	\$80,131 24
Paid Treasurer,	\$59,889 00	
Abatements,	611 00	
Discounts,	366 27	
	<hr/>	\$60,866 27
Due December 31st, 1900,		<hr/> \$19,264 97

## EXPENDITURES OF THE WATER DEPARTMENT,

For the Year Ending December 31st, 1900.

### Plumbing Account.

Paid Boston & Maine railroad, freight,	\$ 93
Dover Water Works, pipe,	8 75
Boston & Maine railroad, freight,	2 68
F. H. Crocker, labor,	3 88
Rochester Foundry & Machine Co., supplies,	1 27
The Sumner & Goodwin Co., Gal. pipe,	126 50
Ludlow Valve Mfg. Co., gates,	15 30
M. J. Drummond, pipe and castings,	88 70
The Ludlow Valve Mfg. Co., gates,	52 72
The Sumner & Goodwin Co., material,	86 72
The Sumner & Goodwin Co., hose nipples,	1 44
Ludlow Valve Mfg. Co., valves and hydrants,	47 18
Boston & Maine railroad, freight,	4 09
Morrill & Greenfield, 1 barrel cement,	1 40
National Meter Co., 2 meters,	52 75
Rochester Foundry & Machine Co., machine work,	12 11
Boston & Maine railroad, freight,	25
Coffin Valve Co., repairing hydrant,	18 09
Boston & Maine railroad, freight,	17 61
Walworth Mfg. Co., Ts and sleeve,	23 70
Pay rolls for labor,	171 86
	<hr/> \$737 93



## Maintenance Account.

Paid E. L. Miles, eraser and pens,	\$ 36
J. B. Young, trucking,	25
John O. Smart, teams,	2 10
Boston & Maine R. R., freight,	63
John O. Smart, teams,	3 95
Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	1 52
Coffin Valve Co., repairing hydrant,	10 47
John W. Dame, carpenter work, .	1 05
O. B. Warren, envelopes,	43 00
Frank Parsons, rent of stable,	28 00
Boston & Maine R. R., freight,	40
Rochester Foundry & Machine Co., supplies,	98
M. E. Sterrett, teaming,	5 00
Courier Publishing Co., 50 cloth signs,	3 50
John F. Quinlan, teams,	5 07
Boston & Maine R. R., freight,	36
Walworth Mfg. Co., hub and spigot,	7 46
Frank Sylvain, wood,	4 50
Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	1 97
Geo. W. Pearl, blacksmith work,	16 15
National Meter Co., meters,	66 70
H. F. Walker, merchandise tools,	1 05
The Record Co., printing 500 cards,	6 75
Ira B. Moore & Co., merchandise,	7 32
E. L. Miles, stationery,	1 16
Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	9 36
Braman, Dow & Co., air valve,	3 50
Chas. W. Bradley, $\frac{1}{2}$ cord wood,	2 43
Thomson Meter Co., 1 meter,	13 86
The Ludlow Valve Co., 1 box cover,	44
The Sumner Goodwin Co., merchandise,	2 63
Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	2 18
Alex McDonald, repairing wagon,	2 50
Henry C. Walker, trucking,	40

Paid M. H. Plummer, repairs,	\$ 4 38
National Meter Co., 2 meters,	86 75
Coffin Valve Co., repairing hydrant,	3 80
Bert Preston, care gate house,	9 30
Town of Strafford, tax,	16 80
“ Barrington,	182 00
Chas. W. Brown, for express, postage, &c., paid,	2 07
Gonic Mfg. Co., 180 lbs. bagging,	1 35
Littlefield & Kennedy, repairs on magnet,	2 50
Rochester Foundry & Machine Co., tapping plug,	40
F. W. Fifield & Co., 1000 postal cards,	11 50
Rochester Lumber Co., box for battery,	35
J. H. Duntley, blacksmith work,	3 85
Berry & Shorey, merchandise,	2 58
Cooper & Junkins, gasoline,	1 40
J. D. Philbrick, oil,	1 92
Pay rolls for labor,	448 78
L. P. Pickering, superintendent,	800 00
Chas. W. Brown, clerk,	150 00
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	\$1,986 76

### Construction Account.

Paid Rochester Foundry & Machine Co., plug castings,	\$ 24
Boston & Maine railroad, freight,	1 99
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	\$2 23

## Receipts of Water Department.

Water rates, 1900, collected,	\$13,599 24
Additional water rates collected,	146 47
Plumbing bills collected,	196 31
Miscellaneous bills collected,	576 99
Previous water rates collected,	150 26
Previous plumbing bills collected,	15 60
Previous miscellaneous bills collected,	51 36
Received from use of pasture and grass sold,	16 00
From city, for hydrant service,	2,000 00
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	\$16,752 23

## Expenditures as per Itemized Account.

Paid plumbing bills,	\$ 737 93	
Maintenance account,	1,986 73	
Construction account,	2 23	
Interest on bonds,	8,000 00	
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		\$10,726 89
Net earnings for the year,		\$6,025 34
Balance in the treasury not invested,		
including the above,		\$12,782 97
Amount invested in city notes,		21,838 60
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Total earnings standing to the credit		
of Water Department, Dec. 31st, 1900,		\$34,621 57

## Chas. W. Brown in account with Rochester Water Works.

### DEBIT.

To cash on hand January 1st, 1900,	\$ 3 43
Water rates collected,	13,599 24
Additional water rates collected,	146 47
Plumbing bills collected,	196 31
Miscellaneous bills collected,	576 99
Previous water rates collected,	150 26
“ plumbing bills collected,	15 60
“ Miscellaneous bills collected,	51 36
Cash received from use of pasture,	4 00
Cash received from sale of grass,	12 00
Cash received for hydrant services,	2,000 00
	<hr/> \$16,755 66

### CREDIT.

By cash paid Treasurer as per receipts,	\$16,481 16
“ on hand,	274 50
	<hr/> \$16,755 66

## AUDITOR'S REPORT.

This is to certify that I have examined all the accounts of the City of Rochester in the several departments, for the year 1900, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

NAHUM YEATON,

Auditor.

## REPORT OF CITY TREASURER.

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GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to submit herewith the annual statement of the City Treasurer, showing receipts and disbursements for the year ending December 31, 1900.

### RECEIPTS.

Balance January 1st, 1900,	\$18,222 54
Taxes 1899,	17,460 45
“ 1900,	59,889 00
Water Works,	16,481 16
Insurance tax,	131 25
Literary fund,	634 50
Railroad tax,	2,881 40
Savings bank tax,	9,426 03
City Clerk's fees,	109 55
Police Clerk's fees,	22 40
Police, costs and fines,	4,064 00
Notes,	625 00
Interest,	14 00
Miscellaneous,	3,417 26
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	\$133,378 54

### PAYMENTS.

Highway,	\$13,757 53
School department,	21,538 58
Miscellaneous,	32,191 27
Water works,	13,257 22
City poor,	1,269 45

Soldiers' aid, city,	\$ 405 86
Salary,	4,323 40
Police,	3,711 04
Fire,	3,069 29
City coupons, interest on sewer bonds,	3,838 64
Sidewalks,	856 87
Notes and interest,	8,930 27
Sewer bonds,	6,500 00
Health,	18 85
Street lights,	6,566 79
Sewerage,	1,573 27
Balance,	11,570 21
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	\$133,378 54

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN L. COPP,

City Treasurer.

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### Adams Fund.

Balance Jan. 1, 1900,	\$366 20
Received income,	486 74
Received New Hampshire Trust Co. bonds, redeemed in part,	375 00
Received in Trust Co. of America, redeemed in part,	60 00
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	\$1,287 94
 Paid applicants, as per provisions of fund,	 \$352 50
City of Rochester, for note,	405 00
Balance Jan. 1, 1901,	530 44
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	\$1,287 94



## Dog License.

Balance Jan. 1, 1900,	\$945 49
Received licenses,	936 34
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	\$1,881 83
Paid for dog depredation, 1900,	\$ 29 25
Transferred to school fund,	916 24
Balance Jan. 1, 1901,	936 34
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	\$1,881 83

## Old Cemetery Conservation Fund Perpetua.

Received income to be expended on cemetery at large,	\$77 01
Received income to be expended on lots,	56 44
Carried to Emergency fund,	18 99
Paid Samuel Jellerson, expended on cemetery at large,	77 01
“ “ “ lots,	56 44
Carried to Emergency fund,	18 99

### EXPENDED ON LOTS AS FOLLOWS, FOR LABOR, GRASS SEED AND FERTILIZER.

Noah Tebbetts,	\$ 6 96
Farrington & McDuffee,	6 96
Jos. & D. Hanson,	8 10
Richardson Barnard,	2 94
Benj. & Geo. Barker,	57
David Barker,	57
Chapman lot,	57
March lot,	57

Chas. Dennett,	\$1 17
J. H. Woodman,	5 79
Hatville Knight,	57
E. Hammett,	1 17
Wm. Chase,	1 17
E. Whitehouse,	5 79
Nath. Upham,	3 15
Jos. Warren and Geo. Robinson,	1 17
Moses Hall,	5 79
David Hayes,	2 26
Enoch R. Hurd,	1 17
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	\$56 44

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN L. COPP,

City Treasurer.

## REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR.

*To the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester :*

I herewith submit my annual report of all the transactions for the past year.

Following is a list of those receiving aid and the amount furnished each applicant :

### Dependent Soldiers' Aid.

John Kent,	\$ 40 00
Horace Buckman,	56 60
Charles G. Jenness,	15 00
Hiram Mace,	2 00
David Corson,	72 00
J. M. Hall,	35 00
A. F. Seavey,	20 43
Mrs. John A. Wilkinson,	138 83

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\$379 86

### City Poor.

Mrs. Henry Wilkinson,	\$ 3 25
Nathaniel Shorey,	63 00
Alex McDonald,	111 00
S. P. Colomy,	78 00
James Markey, support of Thomas and Frank Markey at St. Joseph's Boy's Home at Manchester),	120 00
W. F. Foss,	15 00

Albert Hartford, board of child,	\$ 62 50	
Patrick Lone,	221 87	
Alphe T. Ham,	64 13	
David Jenness,	9 60	
Amos Tufts,	33 77	
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Charles V. Foss,	\$ 4 30	
Mrs. Mary Nute,	85 00	
Mrs. Mary Warburton, (support at N. H. insane asylum)	157 22	
Miss Carrie Tibbetts, (support at N. H. insane asylum)	28 83	
	<hr/>	\$1,057 47
Total amount expended,		<hr/> \$1,437 33

## CREDIT.

Appropriation for 1900,	\$1,300 00	
Amount due from Strafford County,	9 55	
	<hr/>	\$1,309 55
Amount expended in excess of appro- priation,		\$127 78
Bills approved but unpaid,		144 00
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Total amount expended in excess of appropriation,		\$271 78

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN H. NEAL,

Overseer of Poor.

Dec. 31, 1900.

## REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH.

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*To the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester, N. H. :*

We herein submit to you our report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1900.

It is with pleasure that we can report to you that the past year has been free from all epidemics, except that of measles, which could in any way be prevented or restricted by any means or methods known to modern sanitation. There have been no deaths from typhoid fever; one, only, from diphtheria and one from membranous croup.

The death from membranous croup should be classed as a death from diphtheria, as membranous croup is simply diphtheria of the larynx.

The above constitute all the deaths from all the diseases which are termed contagious or infectious as far as the supervision of the health board is concerned.

Whole number afflicted with contagious diseases,	333
Typhoid fever,	3
Diphtheria,	2
Membranous Croup, (diphtheria of larynx)	2
Scarlet fever,	4
Measles,	322
Whole number of deaths during the year,	189

Estimating the population at 8,400, the death rate would be about 22 1-4 per thousand. When we take into consideration the prevalence and severity of pneumonia in the early part of the year, and which was not peculiar to this city but was general throughout the country, we think the death rate

will compare very favorably with that of most cities in New Hampshire.

There have been twenty-five verbal complaints of nuisances made to the board, all of which have received its attention.

As usual, there have been many minor nuisances abated by the health officer, of which there is no official record.

The health officer has buried nine dead animals.

The board has not insisted that many connections should be made with the sewer during the year, owing to the extremely high cost of material. But the board believes that delay for the above reason should be temporary only, and that the time has now come when all who have not complied with the law relating to connections with the sewer should do so. We therefore advise the City Council to issue an order to the following effect, viz.: That all who have not complied with the law shall do so before Nov. 1, 1901, any and all failures to comply with such order to be reported to the City Council by the health officer on or before Dec. 1, 1901.

There is another matter to which we wish to call your attention, viz.: The law relating to the licensing of plumbers and inspectors of plumbing.

We believe this question should receive your attention and that the law should be complied with.

We wish to again call your attention to a petition which was presented to the council of 1899, and to which we referred in our last report, viz.: A petition for an extension of sewer from Linden street to a point at which connection can be made with Wallace's tannery, according to the original plan of the sewer.

We wish to impress upon your honorable body the necessity of your attention to this matter.

In our last report we attempted to impress upon the proper authorities the necessity of complying with the law in regard to vaccination.

We view, with satisfaction, the movement which the School



Board has taken in this important subject. We hope and anticipate that the School Board will insist that the law shall be complied with.

The future in regard to school buildings, from a sanitary standpoint, is much brighter than it was on Dec. 31, 1899.

Our proposed high school building will undoubtedly be a model one, from a sanitary as well as other standpoints.

When the new building is completed we have no doubt that some of the most unsanitary school buildings in the city will be abandoned.

The present high school building will continue to be utilized for school purposes. The sanitary conditions of that building are not what they should be. It has no connections with the city sewer. Connections with the sewer could be made at a small cost and such connection would improve its sanitary condition very much. We therefore recommend that the subject receive your early attention.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

CHAS. BLAZO,	}	Board of Health
JOHN H. NEAL,		of
SHERWOOD W. GOODWIN,		Rochester, N. H.

Dec. 31, 1900.

## REPORT OF CHIEF ENGINEER.

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*To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester :*

I present the following report of the Fire Department, year ending December 31, 1900.

There have been 23 alarms in the city, also 2 at Gonic and 1 on the Chestnut Hill road. I have responded to 4 still alarms. We have purchased during the year 600 feet of double-jacket, rubber lined hose, also a new automatic steam alarm, which is a great benefit to the firemen living at a distance.

1st. I would recommend, as I did last year, the need of a fire station. Our carriages need to be varnished to keep the paint from peeling but it would be a bill of expense if they still remained in the city stable.

2nd. I would again refer to the need of a chemical engine. At our last fire at Feineman Bros.' store the fire was extinguished by the use of a large extinguisher, owned by the firm, without any loss to the owners.

I wish to thank the officers and members of all the companies for their ready response to alarms and also for their able and willing work during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. H. WEBSTER,

Chief Engineer.

December 31, 1900.

## Location of Fire Alarm Boxes.

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| No. |   |
| 16  | North Main street, corner Bridge street.            |
| 17  | Main street, corner Congress street.                |
| 21  | River street, corner Lafayette street.              |
| 23  | Waldron avenue, corner Chestnut street.             |
| 25  | North Main street, near Fairbanks & Rawson's store. |
| 27  | North Main street, near S. H. Burnham's.            |
| 31  | Wakefield street, near old school house.            |
| 33  | Hanson street, near Wrisley house.                  |
| 34  | Summer street, near Mrs. Roberts' stone house.      |
| 35  | Portland street, near Gerrish's store.              |
| 37  | Silver street, near electric light station.         |
| 41  | South Main street, near Wallace's shop.             |
| 43  | Upham street, near school house.                    |
| 52  | Charles street, corner May street.                  |
| 54  | Charles street, corner Woodman street.              |

## Instructions to Citizens.

1. Upon the discovery of a fire, notice should be immediately communicated to the nearest alarm box, the keys to which are in the hands of all the regular police, and in boxes near each alarm box.

2. Upon the discovery of a fire, or positive information of a fire, break the glass in the key box, unlock the box, pull down the hook once as far as it will go (without jerking), and then let go. Shut the door, but do not try to remove the key, as it is locked in a trap lock and can only be removed by a release key, which is carried by each engineer, who will, as soon as convenient, release and return it.

3. All persons giving fire alarms are requested to remain by the box a moment, and if no clicking is heard in the box, pull again; and if you still hear no clicking go to the nearest box, procure a key, and give an alarm from that.

**4 Never pull an alarm for a fire seen at a distance.**

Never touch a box except to give an alarm of fire.

Give an alarm for no cause other than actual fire.

**Don't give an alarm for a chimney fire.**

5. Owners and occupants of buildings are requested to inform themselves of the location of alarm boxes near their property. Be sure the alarm is promptly and properly given.

## **Signals.**

Two strokes of the bell is the all-out signal.

Six strokes of the bell is for a brush fire, or a fire at a distance, where the fire department will be needed.

One stroke of the bell is the engineer's test.

The above signals are given only by the chief engineer.

## REPORT OF CITY SOLICITOR.

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*To the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester :*

GENTLEMEN :—We have the honor to submit the following report for the present year :

The four cases of appeals from the award of damages on the Main Road have finally been determined in favor of the city. In the case of James A. Jackson against the city, the city received the sum of ninety dollars and eighty-seven cents as costs ; in the case of Frank A. Willey against the city, the city received the sum of twenty-six dollars and ninety-eight cents, besides paying the land damages awarded to Willey, and in the case of Albert M. Horne against the city, the city received the sum of fifteen dollars and thirty-one cents, besides paying the land damages awarded to Mr. Horne : in the case of Charles W. Dame against the city, the city received two dollars and sixty-five cents, besides paying the land damages awarded Mr. Dame.

There are still remaining the six cases, appeals from land damages against the city, which have been continued without expense to either party, and the city stands ready at any time to try the same. The amounts involved in these remaining cases cannot be very large.

The civil case pending in the police court at the time of my last report, against Mrs. Frank I. Decatur, was settled in favor of the city for the amount claimed by the city and costs.

The case of Willis O. Higgins against the city, entered at the last February term of court, was a petition asking leave of the court to file a claim against the city for damages caused to his team by a defective culvert. The same has been adjusted

by the payment to Mr. Higgins of the sum of sixty-five dollars for damages and costs.

In no case does the city appear as party plaintiff at the present time.

That we have no suits of any magnitude pending, is, in my mind, due in a great measure to the conservative policy of the City Government and the willingness on their part to meet anyone with a real grievance more than half way and to adjust the same outside of court.

The greatest need of the day is a work house for petty criminals and every effort should be made by the City Government to have one established in the county. We find a good many small crimes committed just for the purpose of getting a comfortable home for the winter.

I wish to express my appreciation of all courtesies shown me during the year by the several officers with whom I have come in contact.

Respectfully submitted,

SAMUEL D. FELKER,

City Solicitor.

Dec. 31st, 1900.



## REPORT OF CITY MARSHAL.

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*To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:*

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to submit the following report of the police department for the year ending December 31st, 1900:

The police force consists of the following officers, viz.:

C. A. Allen, *Marshal.*

Edgar M. Cate, *Assistant Marshal.*

Ferdinand Sylvain.

### ARRESTS.

Number of arrests,	186
Keeping for sale malt liquors,	17
Keeping for sale spirituous liquors,	60
Keeping open on the Lord's day,	2
Larceny,	14
Assaults,	21
Breaking and entering,	1
Slander,	1
Begging,	1
Cruelty to cat,	1
Breaking glass,	8
Drunks,	59
Bastardy,	1

## DISPOSED OF AS FOLLOWS:

Settled,	121
Disclosed,	2
Appealed,	1
Discharged,	12
Committed to jail,	11
Suspended,	12
Committed to house of correction,	6
Promise to pay,	6
Suspended on good behavior,	11
Bonds to keep the peace,	4
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	186

## Amount of fines and costs collected by City

Marshal,		\$4,124 16
Special officers, witness fees,	\$ 60 16	
Paid Treasurer,	4,064 00	
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Number lodgers,	559
Number of doors unlocked,	10

In addition to the cases enumerated, service for the year has included the investigating of many matters that have not been brought before the court, attending to many complaints and the devoting of much time in the effort to preserve order, to protect and enforce law in the punishment of offenders.

I am pleased to say that every officer under my command has been prompt and efficient in the discharge of his duty.

Respectfully submitted,

C. A. ALLEN,

City Marshal.

## REPORT OF CLERK POLICE COURT.

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*To the City Council of the City of Rochester :*

I hereby submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1900.

There have been sentenced on the police court civil docket, 20 cases, and on the criminal docket, 186 cases, for the following offences :

Drunkenness,	59
Keeping spirituous liquor for sale,	60
Keeping malt liquors for sale,	17
Assaults,	18
Larceny,	14
Obstructing an officer,	2
Bastardy,	1
Breaking glass,	8
Tramps,	1
Cruelty to animals,	1
Aggravated assault,	1
Keeping open Sunday,	2
Breaking and entering,	1
Slander,	1

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## DISPOSED OF AS FOLLOWS :

Settled, paid fine and costs,	121
Sentence suspended,	23
Sentence not performed,	6
Committed to jail,	11
Committed to County farm,	6
Bound over and appealed,	5
Discharged,	12
Disclosed,	2

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I have collected for writ blanks and entries in civil cases \$22.40, and have paid the same to the city treasurer.

HENRY F. WALKER,

Clerk.

Rochester, N. H., Jan. 1st, 1901.

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF WATER WORKS AND SEWERS.

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*To the Mayor and City Council of the City of Rochester:*

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith submit my report as superintendent of water works and sewers for the year ending December 31, 1900.

Number services put in during the year,	23
“ “ relaid with new pipe,	19
Total number services to date,	1,253
Number feet $\frac{3}{4}$ in. service pipe laid during the year,	1,914
“ “ 1 in. “ “ “ “	110
“ 4 in. gates laid during the year,	2
“ 6 in. gates “ “ “	1
“ hydrants laid during the year,	2
Total number hydrants to date,	167
Number hydrants repaired during the year,	2
“ gates “ “ “	3
“ joint leaks “ “ “	7
Number sewer connections put in during the year,	49
Total number sewer connections to date,	659
Number ft. main sewer laid during the year,	170
Total number ft. main sewer laid to date, 86,112, or 16 miles, 1632 feet.	

The sewers were well flushed in spring and fall, and are, I believe, in good working condition.

Respectfully submitted,

L. P. PICKERING,

Supt. Water Works and Sewers.

## REPORT OF STREET COMMISSIONER.

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We put up an iron bridge over the Isinglass river and graded the approaches to the bridge.

New bridge over the Isinglass river at Rochester Neck.

Planked bridge at East Rochester.

Planked small bridge near Flatrock bridge, and planked bridge near Moses Page place.

We did much work on Horse hill that was greatly needed and which improved the grade to a great extent.

We did much repairing last spring to bridges and culverts that were damaged by high water. We macadamized the whole of Liberty street and a part of Main street.

Graded two new streets at East Rochester that were very bad places.

Put in surface sewer from Leonard street to Summer and Kimball streets. Put in a number of drops in different places.

### Sidewalks.

Recovered walks on Charles street, 284 yards.

New walks on Charles street, 422½ yards.

New walks on Main street, 72 yards.

Crossings on Charles street, 200 yards.

New brick walk on Railroad avenue, 200 feet. Part of a new walk in front of Salinger's store, and part of a new walk in front of his house on Wakefield street.

Put in 300 feet of new walk in front of Mrs. Chase's house on Wakefield street, and graded about one mile of walks in different parts of the city.



Recovered walks at East Rochester,  $125\frac{1}{2}$  yards.

Recovered walks at Gonic, 330 yards.

Put in 300 feet of edging at Gonic.

GEO. T. McDUFFEE,

Street Commissioner.\*

Seventh Annual Report

OF THE

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

OF THE

ROCHESTER PUBLIC LIBRARY.

1900.

At the meeting of the Trustees of the Rochester Public Library, Dec. 31st, 1900, it was voted that the report of the Secretary, together with the report of the Librarian and Treasurer, be presented as the annual report of the Trustees.

## REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

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*To the Honorable Council of the City of Rochester :*

GENTLEMEN :—I have the honor to present herewith on behalf of the trustees, the seventh annual report of the trustees, librarian and treasurer for the year ending December 31st, 1900. The library during the last year has continued its work in the same general way as the preceding years. For an understanding of the operations of the library for the last year, you are referred to the librarian's report, which is appended to the trustees' report and made a part of it.

The opportunity to read is coming more and more within the reach of the masses. To bring about equality of opportunity in this matter is the special work of the public library, and it is gratifying to notice the increased interest manifested from year to year of the patrons of the library and reading room. The increase in circulation during the past year of 3,288 books and the gain in attendance in the reading room of 503 indicate the growing interest in this public institution.

During the past year shelves have been placed in the ell part of the city building for the accommodation of the public documents. A new case for reference books has been placed in the library. During the coming year other additions will have to be made to accommodate the new books.

At times our reading room has been taxed to its utmost capacity, there being 4,197 patrons during the past year. An increase each year in the attendance at the reading room demands that better accommodations be provided for the public.

The Jennie Farrington fund of \$1,000 has been placed on interest by the trustees until such time as they can use it for the benefit of the library. This institution is as yet without

the endowments of many other public libraries but we live in hopes that there may be found among our public spirited citizens some who will recognize the high importance of the mission of the modern library, and add to the number of our invested funds, which at present are limited to the single benefaction of the Jennie Farrington fund. It is the purpose of the trustees to keep within the appropriation and to manage the business of the library in an economical manner, but the demands of the library are such that we ask the honorable council a due consideration of an increase in the appropriation this year.

The trustees wish to express their satisfaction in the librarian in her efforts to meet the varied wants of all the patrons; we also commend the faithfulness of the assistants.

JOHN YOUNG,

Secretary.

Rochester, Dec. 31st, 1900.

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*To the Trustees of the Rochester Public Library:*

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith present the seventh annual report of the work of the library.

Number of volumes in library Jan. 1, 1900, 6,814

Added during 1900:

By purchase, 503

By binding periodicals, 117

By gift, 118

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Total, 7,552

Number of volumes discarded, 15

Number injured, 2

Lost at Gonic agency, 10

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Number of volumes in library Dec. 31, 1900, 7,525

Number of books rebound during year,		316
Number of cards issued during year :		
Gonic agency,	25	
East Rochester agency,	41	
Home library,	194	
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Total,		260
Entire number of registrations :		
Gonic,	371	
East Rochester,	965	
Home library,	2,264	
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		3,600
Number of days open for delivery of books :		
Gonic agency,		313
East Rochester agency,		104
Home library,		206
Number of books given out during 1899 :		
Gonic,	1,607	
East Rochester,	1,006	
Home library,	23,395	
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Total,		26,008
Number of books given out during 1900 :		
Gonic,	1,590	
East Rochester,	1,006	
Home library,	26,486	
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Total,		29,296
Increase in circulation,		3,288
Largest number given out any one day :		
Gonic,		41
East Rochester, (not reported)		
Home library,		329

Number of books issued for use in schools,	360
Attendance in reading room during 1899,	3,694
Attendance in reading room during 1900,	4,197
Gain over last year,	503
Largest attendance any one day,	41

The regular work of the library has been carried on as heretofore, one of the events of the year being the issue of the printed catalogue, thereby satisfying a long felt want. Much time has been given to the filing of papers and pamphlets and to sorting, arranging and cataloguing public documents. The two small rooms which have been fitted up, not only make it possible to arrange the public documents with some system, but have greatly relieved the crowded condition of the shelves in the main room. The addition of a reference stack in the reading room has enabled us to place all reference books where they are accessible to the public. But not an inch of space is left, for the several reference books which must be added next year.

By careful planning it will be possible to add the much needed case for magazines and a rack for papers. These are very necessary, as one student, looking over reference books, can easily hide from view all the periodicals on the table and only the most courageous will ask the librarian to disturb him.

The records for 1900 show an increase in circulation of 3,288 volumes and that the reading room has had 503 more visitors this year than any preceding year. These facts alone prove that the people are not losing their interest in the library.

The children of the early days of its history have not only grown in stature but in wisdom and other children have taken their places and young and old expect more. The patron who a few years ago would take any book as long as it was readable, now wants something new and up to date. The members of the various literary organizations, the students and the teachers, are making new and greater demands each year. Hence the library must have books for entertainment as well as



for instruction, both the standard and the new, purchasing often, that it may keep abreast of the times.

It would indeed be a cause for rejoicing if some bright morning we should find that a beneficent fairy had extended the walls of the city building, in order that the library might have more room, but the reign of kind fairies seems over and, as stern reality confronts us, we realize that all we can do at present is to make the most of the room and the means at our disposal, careful always that there are "no steps backward" and believing in "the good time coming."

I extend grateful thanks to the trustees for their kindness during the year, also to those who have helped to carry on the work of the library.

Respectfully submitted,

LILLIAN E. PARSHLEY,

Librarian.

Rochester, N. H., December 31st, 1900.

CIRCULATION FOR 1900.

	Gonic.	East Rochester.	Central Library.	Total.
Biography,	24	3	685	712
Periodicals,	117		1,486	1,603
General Works,			8	8
Philosophy,	5		55	60
Religion,	8	5	176	189
Sociology,	3	6	162	171
Philology,			9	9
Natural Science,	17	7	403	427
Useful Arts,	4	27	279	310
Fine Arts,	9	4	305	318
Literature,	14	4	495	513
Travel and History,	135	54	1,720	1,909
Juvenile,	308	264	6,601	7,173
Fiction,	946	850	14,098	15,894
	1,590	1,224	26,482	29,296

## Gifts to the Library During 1900.

	Volumes	Pamphlets
American Humane Society,		1
American Union League,	1	
American Unitarian Association,	1	
Bachelder, Ira F., (Rochester Courier, 1870-'76)	6	
Balch, T. W.,	1	
Barnes, Wm. A.,	1	
Brockton Public Library,		1
Brown, Charles W.,	1	
Burnett, Joseph,	1	
Concord Public Library,		1
Cragin, Wm. N.	2	
Currier, Mrs. Moody,	1	
Dover Public Library,		5
Drew, Gladys,	2	
Fullerton, Alex,	1	
Frazer Institute, Montreal,		1
Gallinger, Hon. J. H.,	10	
McDuffee, Willis,	1	
McFarland, Henry,	1	
Manchester Public Library,		6
Milford Public Library,		1
Nashua Public Library,		3
New Hampshire College,		3
New Hampshire Library Commission,		3
New Hampshire, State of,	1	
Newark Public Library,		1
Old Orchard Public Library,		1
Parshley, A. S., (unbound magazines)	2	
Parshley, Sadie H.,	1	
Pillsbury Free Library,		1
Richardson, Est. of Wm. A.,	1	
Rochester, City of,	1	
Society of Colonial Wars,	1	
Somerville Public Library,		1

South Berwick Academy,		1
Towle Mfg. Co.,	2	
United States Government,	58	20
Weare Public Library,		1
Whitney, Dr. F. E.,		8
Woodward, Maria,	3	
Young, Mrs. L. A.,	2	
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### Gifts to the Reading Room During 1900.

American,	Publisher's gift
Collier's Weekly,	Ira F. Bachelder
Fancier's Monthly,	Publisher's gift
Home Market Bulletin,	"
Morning Star,	A. C. F. Society
Protectionist,	Publisher's gift
Record,	"
Rochester Courier,	"
Sanitary Inspector,	James W. Bartlett
Salvation,	Publisher's gift
Star Monthly,	"
Suggestive Therapeutics,	"
Tablet,	"
Union Signal,	W. C. T. U.

### Financial Report for 1900.

Cash on hand Jan. 1st, 1900,	\$34 28
Received fines from Gonic,	4 41
From home library,	72 11
For books,	5 65
From sale of waste paper,	10
From sale of catalogues,	34 75
From out of town patrons,	1 00
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	\$152 30

Turned over to J. L. Copp, treasurer,	\$30 00
Paid for freight and trucking,	1 47
Printing,	2 00
Periodicals,	3 35
Postage and box rent,	6 02
Express,	10 03
Books,	10 31
Supplies and incidentals,	48 06
Cash on hand,	41 06
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	\$152 30

Respectfully submitted,

LILLIAN E. PARSHLEY,

Librarian.

Rochester, N. H., December 31st, 1900.

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### Public Library Receipts.

Balance from 1899,	\$ 348 26
City appropriation for 1900,	1,400 00
Cash from Librarian,	30 00
From Jennie Farrington fund,	1,000 00
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	\$2,778 26

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### Expenditures.

Subscription to periodicals 1900-1901,	\$ 75 70
Purchase of new books,	422 10
Printing catalogue,	381 60
Supplies, printing and postage,	22 00
Binding books,	178 91

Librarian,	\$ 400 00
Assistant librarian,	132 25
Librarian at Gonic,	50 00
Insurance,	27 81
New book cases and repairs,	51 86
Jennie Farrington fund,	1,000 00
Balance in Treasurer's hands,	35 38
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	\$2,778 26

Having examined the several items of receipts and expenditures of the financial reports of the Librarian, Lillian E. Parshley, and the Treasurer, John L. Copp, I find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

JOHN YOUNG,

Secretary.

Rochester, N. H., Dec. 31st, 1900.



ANNUAL REPORT  
OF THE  
SCHOOL BOARD  
OF THE  
CITY OF ROCHESTER,  
NEW HAMPSHIRE,  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING  
DECEMBER 31, 1900.



ROCHESTER, N. H., Feb. 1, 1901.

*To the City Council of the City of Rochester :*

The following report of the Superintendent of Schools, with statistics for the year ending August 1st, 1900, and financial statement for the year ending Dec. 31st, 1900, is submitted as the Report of the School Board.

A. N. BROCK, Secretary.

## SCHOOL BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER, As Organized for 1900.

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Hon. H. L. Worcester,	President.
Arthur N. Brock,	Secretary.
John Hanscam,	H. M. Plumer,
S. D. Felker,	Nahum Yeaton,
L. P. Snow,	Dr. D. L. Stokes,
W. M. Ames,	J. F. Springfield,
Dr. Ernest Duval,	C. E. Reed,
W. F. Cole.	

### Standing Committees.

*Accounts*—Messrs. Worcester, Hanscam, Plumer.

*Teachers and Salaries*—Messrs. Hanscam, Snow, Felker.

*Music and Drawing*—Messrs. Brock, Stokes, Cole.

*Schoolhouses and Grounds*—Messrs. Hanscam, Reed, Worcester.

*Supplies*—Messrs. Plumer, Ames, Duval.

*Text-books*—Messrs. Felker, Yeaton, Springfield.

*Rules and Regulations*—Messrs. Snow, Stokes, Springfield.

*Transportation*—Messrs. Yeaton, Brock, Duval.

*Ungraded Schools*—Messrs. Ames, Reed, Cole.

*Superintendent of Schools*—W. N. Cragin.

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

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*To the Honorable School Board of the City of Rochester :*

GENTLEMEN :—I herewith submit my first annual report as Superintendent of Schools.

It has seemed best to me not to introduce any radical changes during the four months I have labored with you, but rather to study existing conditions, knowing that the experience and wisdom of my predecessor must have left its impress. It requires some time to become acquainted with the workings of any school system and to gain familiarity with the exact conditions which confront one. A change of administration in the school system necessarily blocks progress for a time.

At the beginning of the current school year many changes took place. Several schools were discontinued and the pupils were transported to other schools. The closing of these schools necessitated dropping the teachers or their transference to other schools. The most important change of teachers perhaps occurred in the high school, where Frederick G. Getchell of Calais, Maine, became principal, in place of J. Sherman Richardson, and Miss Sanger of Franklin, N. H., filled the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Ames. At East Rochester, Mr. Howard P. Harding of Ossipee, N. H., became principal in place of Mr. Mooney, and Miss Adelaide Coffin of Shapleigh, Me., took charge of the second and third grades. At Gonic three new teachers were installed : Miss Nellie A. Collins of Rochester in the third and fourth grades ; Miss Grace McDuffee of Rochester in the second grade, and Miss Elizabeth E. Goodwin of Windham, N. H., in the first grade. In the Main

street school Miss Anna M. Hodgdon was transferred from the first and second grades to the third grade, and Miss Florence Dearborn of Campton, N. H., was placed in the first and second grades. In the Maple street school Miss Lucie H. Chamberlain of New Durham, N. H., entered the first grade room in place of Miss Allen. Miss Josie F. Norris was transferred from the Rogers school to Walnut Grove. Miss A. Nester Bankart of East Rochester was sent to the Rogers. Miss Katherine E. Spencer of Hanover Centre, N. H., went to Meaderboro. So many changes under a new superintendent were unfortunate, but I believe that the school machinery has run very smoothly and I trust that some advancement has been made.

At the beginning of the fall term the sixth grade in the high school building was overcrowded, more than seventy pupils being registered. There were only forty-nine seats in the room and the teacher could not possibly care for all. At first it seemed necessary to open a room somewhere for the overflow and employ another sixth grade teacher, but lack of funds dispelled this idea, and we were compelled to return about twenty pupils to Maple street and add a sixth grade in Miss Wentworth's room, thus burdening her with three grades. Good work cannot be done under such conditions, and as the sixth grade next year gives promise of large numbers we must soon make provision for these larger classes. It may be necessary to employ another teacher next fall.

That plans have been accepted for a modern high school building and the contract for its construction has been awarded is very gratifying. We shall get the needed accommodations none too soon. The hygienic conditions at the Main street school are very bad. The light is poor, the ventilation is very imperfect, and the heat is insufficient at times.

Some of our schoolrooms need to be refitted with desks. At School street large blocks of wood are used for foot rests, and even with their help, many a foot swings free.

Believing that good reading is the foundation of all good

work in the schools, we have made a special effort to improve the quality of our reading. Especially in the lower grades we have worked hard to give the pupils a thorough drill in fundamentals. We have introduced the Ward system of reading into the primary grades and can already see promise of good results. This system is a phonetic-sentence-word method which trains the child to trace out for himself the component parts and insists upon his getting the thought from the printed words. With conscientious, pains-taking teaching and careful supervision, I believe that in a few years we shall have good reading in our schools. It is intended to make a careful choice of what the children read as well as to teach them how to read. We believe that children should be given good literature very early and when they become older they will appreciate the good book and choose it. How to improve the reading in the higher grades is a more difficult problem. The principal difficulty of the pupil seems to be a lack of quickness of perception and an intelligent rendering of the thought. Investigation has shown that the poorest readers are those who read little or nothing outside the school room; the best readers are regular patrons of our library. Teachers have been earnestly requested to recommend to pupils the free use of the library and to aid in the selection of books. Teachers can do much in this way toward the cultivation of good taste in the young.

The art of writing has received a grand stimulus by the introduction of a new series of vertical copy-books and by the lectures and class-room instruction of an expert penman, Mr. Clark of Boston. The improvement in some schools is very marked, and nearly all teachers report much improvement.

Music and drawing have progressed under the supervision of Miss Burrell. The status of music in the elementary schools compares favorably with that in other places. The work in the high school is not up to the desired standard, but this is partly due to conditions. By another year we shall expect good singing in the high school. I fear that our drawing is not equal to that of other cities; but again, this is not due in any measure

to lack of effort or ability on Miss Burrell's part. Lack of desirable supplies and the grouping of two or more grades in one room are troublesome handicaps. In some rooms, however, the pupils draw very well. Of one thing I am certain: It is a very difficult task for one teacher to handle both subjects, music and drawing, and accomplish satisfactory results. But the subjects are important, and I would not eliminate either one, even for the sake of giving more time to the other.

The scale of ranking has been changed. We still use the letter system but we use five letters to designate rank instead of the two letters S and U. The letters, A, B, C, D, E, are used respectively for *Excellent*, *Good*, *Fair*, *Unsatisfactory*, *Very Poor*. This system puts a premium upon good, hard work, but is intended to be sufficiently elastic to avoid the too minute discriminations of the percentage system. The advantages of this change have been clearly seen, especially in the high school.

I believe that a more elastic system of grading would be very desirable. If any scheme can be worked out whereby the bright and the dull, the quick and the slow, can be unyoked and allowed to work, each according to his ability, it will be worth trying. It is hoped that some such scheme can be put in operation. I believe that the average boy or girl would gain time and, therefore, money, because he would sooner be ready to support himself. I believe also more pupils would enter the high school, a result much desired.

Under any system of grading some who are not mentally strong must be pushed along regardless of work done. They absorb a few facts as they pass along and this is all we can expect of them. They may be hard working, well behaved pupils and we are glad to have them get all they can from our common schools. But I question whether such should go farther than the grammar grades. Those mentally weak and those poorly prepared are soon dropped from the high school and it would in most cases be better for the pupil and for the school if he did not enter.

The matter of truancy is a very important one. I agree with



my predecessor that lack of accommodations is not a good excuse for non-enforcement of the law. Employers, parents and pupils violate the statutes and some defy the Board to enforce them. The law provides that all children under sixteen shall attend school and makes it a duty of the School Board to provide accommodation and instruction for them. If we cannot find room for all the children under present conditions, I recommend that an overflow school be provided and the law enforced.

Our record of attendance and tardiness is far from creditable. I wish that I might say something that would arouse the parents to an appreciation of the importance and regularity of attendance. I say *parents* because if the parents are not interested in this subject, the child very likely will not be. The teacher has an influence but the best teacher cannot make up the lack of interest on the part of the parent. The "school age" is the formative period of life, and the habit of punctuality or tardiness will likely cling to one through life, generally speaking. It is just as easy to be on time as it is to be late. I say this with more certainty because many of our habitual laggards live nearest the school grounds. Reports of attendance, tardiness and scholarship are sent out twice each term from all grades except the primary. Parents should examine these carefully and take due consideration thereof. With hearty co-operation of parents and teachers we ought to expect better attendance and punctuality.

The high school is in good condition. I believe we have there a very able corps of teachers. Principal Getchell has the welfare of the school at heart and is determined to raise the standing of the school. Only one department, that of Latin, seems to me to be below the average standard of high school work. The working knowledge of the second and third year classes in Latin is lamentably deficient. These classes will probably never recover from their imperfect preparation, but under the instruction of Miss Sanger they have been assiduously drilled in the rudiments, and it is hoped that her wide know-



ledge of the subject will in time impress itself upon the pupils. The freshman class is under Mr. Getchell's charge and is getting thorough preparation. The department of French is fortunate to have at its head so accomplished a scholar as Miss Neal. There is a question in my mind whether too much time is given in our curriculum to the study of French, but I am not ready at this time to recommend any change. The Greek department, although in charge of one of the best of teachers, Miss McDuffee, is not so well patronized as might be hoped. The study of Greek is an excellent mental discipline, and a classical degree still carries with it greater honors. The English department has been strengthened by the addition of two new text-books: Scott and Denney's Elementary Composition and Webster's English Composition and Rhetoric. The study of English is too apt to be considered a bore by the pupil, especially when it is pursued throughout the course. It is therefore fortunate that we have at the head of this department a teacher of such experience and magnetic influence as Mrs. Allen. A thoroughly competent teacher of English is a valuable person.

The scientific department will doubtless be much strengthened when we enter the new building.

For further information in regard to the high school I refer you to the report of the principal.

The monthly teachers' meetings have been continued as heretofore. It is our purpose to make these meetings productive of good to the schools. The professional advancement of the teacher is the primary aim. The success of these meetings will depend greatly upon the interest of the teachers and the spirit of progress which they manifest.

In conclusion I wish to thank most sincerely the teachers of Rochester for their patient forbearance and kind reception of me at all times; and you, Gentlemen of the School Board, for your kindly advice and the confidence which you have always reposed in me. Finally, my thanks are due the press and all others who, by their sympathy and support, have advanced the cause of education.

Respectfully submitted,

ERNEST L. SILVER.

Rochester, N. H., January, 1901.

## Statistics for the Year Ending June, 1900.

Number of weeks in the school year,	36
"    different schools,	30
"    school buildings in use,	15
"    "    rooms in use,	36
"    different teachers employed during the year,	35
Total enrolment, boys, 628; girls, 657,	1285
Average membership,	1045
"    daily attendance,	898
Per cent. of attendance,	86
Pupils under six years of age,	131
"    over sixteen years of age,	99
"    enrolled in high school,	140
"    "    grammar schools,	318
"    "    primary schools,	661
"    "    ungraded schools,	166
Average cost per pupil, based upon total enrolment,	\$17 01
"    "    "    average enrolment,	\$20 93
"    "    of text books and supplies,	
based upon total enrolment,	\$ .99
Based on average membership,	1 22
Number of pupils not absent or tardy,	27
Number of tardinesses,	2,897

Number of pupils attending to reading, 1,145; writing, 1,145; spelling, 1,145; language, 1,285; arithmetic, 1,154; geography, 765; history, 473; physiology, 702; book-keeping, 61; civil government, 98; algebra, 94; geometry, 64; physics, 25; botany, 18; chemistry, 16; French, 78; Latin, 121; Greek, 8.

## ATTENDANCE FOR THE YEAR ENDING AUGUST 1, 1900.

SCHOOL.	Total No. Registered.		Average Number Belonging.	Average Daily Attendance.	Percentage of Attendance.	Instances of Tardiness.
	Boys.	Girls.				
High School	59	81	120	111	92.38	319
9th Grade	21	18	35	32	91.48	159
8th Grade	30	25	47	44	92.09	363
7th Grade	22	25	42	40	94.25	122
6th Grade	23	20	38	36	93.39	73
Main St., 4th & 5th Grades	61	45	95	84	88.14	143
“ 3d Grade	24	24	39	34	87.50	250
“ 1st & 2d Grades	29	27	39	30	76.00	35
Maple St., 4th & 5th Grades	7	22	27	23	89.47	71
“ 2d & 3d Grades	21	19	32	26	84.49	53
“ 1st Grade	21	21	30	24	80.00	30
School Street	19	29	29	23	77.00	59
Upham Street	24	22	32	26	80.36	187
E. Rochester, 8th & 9th Grades	14	13	22	20	91.11	19
“ 6th & 7th Grades	18	22	37	35	95.44	66
“ 4th & 5th Grades	17	26	40	35	85.89	23
“ 2d & 3d Grades	23	17	44	36	81.81	12
“ 1st Grade	24	14	32	25	82.67	24
Gonic, 7th, 8th & 9th Grades	22	12	27	25	91.51	77
“ 5th & 6th Grades	12	21	27	23	92.08	76
“ 3d & 4th Grades	22	22	39	36	92.92	50
“ 1st & 2d Grades	43	38	54	38	70.01	122
Dry Hill	12	16	17	14	77.64	10
Meadorboro	12	11	20	17	85.16	186
Adams Corner	12	13	21	18	83.42	162
Walnut Grove	5	12	11	8	72.96	16
Rogers	8	9	15	13	86.02	144
Main Road	8	2	8	7	86.50	32
Neck	7	16	17	13	91.84	5
Jenness	9	15	16	13	92.53	9
Totals	629	657	1,052	909	86.20	2,897

## TEACHERS EMPLOYED BY THE CITY JAN. 1, 1901.

SCHOOL.	GRADE.	NAME,	SALARY.	HOME ADDRESS.
High School Building	High	Frederick G. Getchell	\$1,100	Calais, Maine.
		Anna S. Allen	650	Rochester, N. H.
		Lotta E. Neal	600	Auburn, Maine.
		Frances E. McDuffee	600	Rochester, N. H.
		Abbie M. Sanger	550	Franklin, N. H.
	IX	Annie I. Rollins	405	Rochester, N. H.
	VIII	Lida Varney	405	"
	VII	Mamie F. Kelley	405	"
	VI	Linnie M. Moulton	405	"
	Main Street	IV, V	{ Jessie M. Walker } { Aimee J. Berry }	432 324
III		Anna M. Hodgdon	324	"
I, II		Florence M. Dearborn	324	Campton Village, N. H.
Maple Street	IV, V, VI	Nellie M. Wentworth	360	Milton, N. H.
	II, III	Ina E. Tuttle	324	Barnstead, N. H.
	I	Lucie H. Chamberlain	324	New Durham, N. H.
School Street	I, II	Mayre F. Hartigan	324	Rochester, N. H.
Upham Street	I, II, III	Annie L. Ball	324	"
E. Rochester	VIII, IX	Howard P. Harding	450	Ossipee, N. H.
	VI, VII	Willa G. Keay	405	Hanover, N. H.
	IV, V	Ida A. O'Donnell	324	E. Rochester, N. H.
	II, III	Adelaide Coffin	324	Shapleigh, Maine.
	I	Teresa C. Curran	360	Nashua, N. H.
	VII, VIII, IX	Edwin H. Whittemore	396	Antrim, N. H.
	V, VI	Eva M. Godfrey	360	Northwood, N. H.
	III, IV	Nellie A. Collins	324	Rochester, N. H.
	II	Grace McDuffee	324	"
	I	Elizabeth E. Goodwin	360	Windham, N. H.
Meaderboro	Ungraded	Kathrina E. Spencer	288	Hanover Centre, N. H.
Adams Corner		Edna Corson	288	Rochester, N. H.
Walnut Grove		Josie F. Norris	288	"
Rogers		A. Nester Bankart	288	E. Rochester, N. H.
Music and Drawing		"	Lizzie F. Burrell	600

## REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC AND DRAWING.

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*Mr. E. L. Silver, Superintendent of Schools:*

This being the end of my second year's work in Rochester I wish to make the following report:

I have arranged the work so that I give one lesson a week in both music and drawing, to each class.

We have endeavored as far as possible to continue the work of last year, carrying it out on the same lines, but leading up to the standard of the graded Normal Music Course. I think that the results justify me in saying that we have reached that standard, for in the centre the classes are working on their prescribed courses. The principal trouble is in the buildings where we have several grades in one room. Then the work of the highest grades has to be somewhat curtailed in order to be within the reach of the lowest grades, but we hope that time will eradicate this as the younger classes progress.

The primary grades all over the city are doing the work according to the prescribed course.

The grammar classes in the centre are doing very nearly what should be done in their respective grades. The sixth grade has finished the two-voice work in the second reader and is now ready for the second Cecilian reader. The seventh grade is working in the introductory third reader in three-voice work. The eighth grade is also using the introductory third reader and is also doing a little work in the third Cecilian where we have the bass clef introduced. In the ninth grade we are using the third Cecilian entirely, with the exception of songs and codas which I put upon the blackboard for them.

In Gonic and East Rochester the work is necessarily different.

There we have several grades together, and so the work has to be arranged to suit the case in the different rooms. The kind of work is practically the same, but is based upon the two and three voice work in the second reader.

In the high school we have had much with which to contend. We have been compelled, from lack of supplies, to use the codas which have been used in former years. The work here *should* be made as attractive as possible, since the pupils, coming as they do, from outside schools as well as from our centre districts, have had no chance to get the necessary foundation for proper high school music, and need to have it as attractive as possible to hold their interest. Time alone can make the work there satisfactory. Next year, however, the work will be a great deal better as there will then be two classes in the high school who are able to read music.

In drawing, Prang's drawing books have been introduced. These are merely a continuation of the work as carried on last year, including modeling, nature work, manual training and imaginative drawing.

It is to be regretted that there is no regular appropriation for music and drawing, for it is exceedingly trying to carry on my work well since I cannot get the necessary material.

It gives me great pleasure to acknowledge the hearty co-operation of the teachers, to whom much of results of the work has been due. The pupils, in all grades, are to be congratulated for the spirit which they have shown in trying to reach the ideal presented to them, and also for their wonderful improvement in quality of tone and ability to read easily.

In conclusion allow me to thank you for your hearty co-operation and kind, helpful suggestions.

Respectfully submitted,

LIZZIE F. BURRELL.

Jan. 14, 1901.



## REPORT OF PRINCIPAL OF HIGH SCHOOL.

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*Mr. Ernest L. Silver, Superintendent of Schools:*

In compliance with your request I submit the following report of the high school:

As I have been with you but a short time, and as the conditions under which I am working will undergo a great change during the coming year, it is fitting that my report should be brief.

Since the beginning of the school year 1883 pupils have been registered. Of these the entering class contained 50, promoted as follows: ninth grade grammar, 31; East Rochester, 3; Gonic, 7; other schools, 9. The classical course was elected by 5; the Latin English by 30, and the English by 15. At present the entering class numbers 36; boys, 17; and girls, 19. The sophomore class numbers 23; 11 boys and 12 girls. Three are in the classical course, 15 in the Latin scientific and 5 in the English course. The junior class numbers 35; 12 boys and 23 girls. Three are in the classical course, 26 in the Latin-English and 6 in the English course. The senior class numbers 18; 11 boys and 7 girls. Two are taking the classical course, 9 the Latin scientific and 6 the English course. The present enrolment, then, is 112; boys, 51; girls, 61. Classical course, all classes, 14; Latin scientific, 73; English course, 26. This enumeration includes one post-graduate student. The French courses include a total of 70.

The entering class, you will note, has sustained a loss of 14 during the first half year of its course. The cause of leaving has been, with four exceptions, inability to carry on high school



work successfully and resulting discouragement. This fact makes evident the existence of a wide gap between the acquirements of the graduates of the several grammar schools of this city and the requirements of the first year in the high school,—a gap which can be bridged only by raising the standard of the grammar grades or by lowering that of the high school. I am naturally loth to begin my service in your city by following the latter course.

It has been necessary, as the year has progressed, to devote to the matter of tardiness an amount of time wholly out of proportion to the time ordinarily so spent in schools elsewhere. At present tardiness is confined almost entirely to pupils living at a distance, pupils whose means of conveyance is uncertain, and in whom the offence may occasionally be pardoned. The fact that there is so large a proportion of such pupils attending the high school makes it improbable that the school can ever compare favorably with schools better situated in this respect.

In the number of branches taught and the method of teaching, the year is to be marked by no radical changes from the past.

I would call your attention, however, to the election of German by a class of eleven pupils, and to the slight increase in the number of those taking Greek. Both of these steps are in the right direction. German is steadily increasing in favor as a secondary school study, and in college requirements is generally made the full equivalent of French. Greek, on the other hand, is steadily losing its hold upon the ordinary public high school. Yet we must not lose sight of the fact that a pupil who goes to college with Greek is still at a premium in a majority of courses.

The study of English has been placed upon a text book basis in the first and second year classes, and the results so far have more than justified the expectations of the teacher in that department. It will be our policy during the following school year, to effect, if possible, a separation of pupils taking college

work from the others in the English of the upper classes.

My recommendations for the future I will limit to one, trusting that it will receive full consideration from yourself and the Honorable School Board. I earnestly recommend, Sir, that any vacancy occurring among the assistants of the high school be filled by a sub-master. I make this recommendation wholly in the interest of the increased laboratory work in chemistry and physics, which progressive schools are doing. I trust, however, that the opportunity for such a change may be far in the future, as I am fully convinced that the present corps of assistants is all that could be desired.

In closing, I desire to thank School Board, parents, pupils, teachers, and you, Sir, for the hearty support which I, during my short term of service, have received.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK G. GETCHELL.

Dec. 31, 1900.

## CLASS DAY EXERCISES, CLASS OF 1900,

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ROCHESTER HIGH SCHOOL, WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, JUNE 20,  
AT SCHOOL HOUSE.

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### Program.

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|---|--------------------------|
| Triumph Through Faith,                    | <i>Fanny E. Newberry</i> |
| ANNA BELLE McCOMBE                        |                          |
| The Nicaragua Canal,                      | <i>Original</i>          |
| HARRY TEBBETTS                            |                          |
| To Barbary Land,                          | <i>Agnes E. Mitchell</i> |
| MABEL IDA BERRY                           |                          |
| How to Tell a Story,                      | <i>Mark Twain</i>        |
| ALICE MAY HOLMER                          |                          |
| Vergil and Æneid,                         | <i>Original</i>          |
| CARRIE ELVA TEBBETTS                      |                          |
| Marie,                                    | <i>Laura E. Richards</i> |
| BLANCHE FLORENCE THOMPSON                 |                          |
| Washington's Contribution to Nationality, | <i>Original</i>          |
| EVERETT ARTHUR CHAMBERLAIN                |                          |
| Death of Little Nell,                     | <i>Dickens</i>           |
| FLORENCE SLEEPER                          |                          |

A Old Worn Out Song, *James Whitcomb Riley*  
EDNA MAY JONES

Les Adieux de Marie Stuart, *Béranger*  
CORA EMMA McDUFFEE

Piano Solo, "Invitation to the Dance", *C. Von Weber*  
CRISSIE BELLE LOVEJOY

The Old Minstrel, *Anon.*  
RUTH KATHERINE SEAVEY

Selections from James Whitcomb Riley,  
SUSIE ADELAIDE ROLLINS

Selection from Tennyson's "Maud",  
IDA MABEL TUTTLE

Selection from "Quo Vadis",  
WILLIAM ALPHONSO RICKER

Selections from Riley,  
MARY AGNES O'BRIEN

Death of Sydney Carton, *Dickens*  
LAURA MAY PRESTON

Class History,  
JAMES ERNEST SMITH

The Crucifixion, *Marie Corelli*  
BEATRICE ASENATH RANDALL

Class Will,  
JEANIE JEANETTE KEIR

Class Prophecy,  
LILLIAN ALBERTHA BICKFORD

CLASS MOTTO: ONWARD.

CLASS COLORS: DARK GREEN AND WHITE.

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## GRADUATING EXERCISES, CLASS OF 1900,

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ROCHESTER HIGH SCHOOL, THURSDAY EVENING, JUNE 21, AT  
METHODIST CHURCH.

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### Program.

SELECTION BY ORCHESTRA.

SCHOOL MARCH.

BRIDAL CHORUS, "Faithful and True," *Lohengrin*

THE SCHOOL.

Conducted by Lizzie F. Burrell, Instructor in Music.

PRAYER,

REV. W. S. RANDALL.

SELECTION BY ORCHESTRA.

SELECTION, "Rest Thee on This Mossy Pillow,"

*Henry Smart*

THE SCHOOL.

Conducted by Miss Burrell.

ADDRESS, "The Greatest Needs of the Twentieth Century,"

MRS. ELIZABETH MERRILL GOSSE.

SELECTION BY ORCHESTRA.

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS.

BENEDICTION,

REV. G. W. FARMER.

## CLASS OF 1900.

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Mabel Ida Berry,	Lillian Albertha Bickford,
Everett Arthur Chamberlain,	Alice May Holmer,
Edna May Jones,	Jeanie Jeanette Keir,
Crissie Belle Lovejoy,	Cora Emma McDuffee,
Anna Belle McCombe,	Mary Agnes O'Brien,
Laura May Preston,	Beatrice Asenath Randall,
William Alphonso Ricker,	Susie Adelaide Rollins,
Ruth Katherine Seavey,	Florence Sleeper,
James Ernest Smith,	Carrie Elva Tebbetts,
Harry Charles Tebbetts,	Blanche Florence Thompson,
Ida Mabel Tuttle	

## SCHOOL BOARD, CITY OF ROCHESTER, As Organized for 1901.

Hon. H. L. Worcester,  
A. N. Brock,

President.  
Secretary.

*Ward One*—W. F. Cole, Benjamin S. Mooney.

*Ward Two*—W. M. Ames, A. N. Brock.

*Ward Three*—S. D. Felker, Nahum Yeaton.

*Ward Four*—Dr. Ernest Duval, L. P. Snow.

*Ward Five*—John Hanscam, J. F. Springfield.

*Ward Six*—H. M. Plumer, Dr. D. L. Stokes.

### Standing Committees.

*Finance*—Worcester, Hanscam, Plumer.

*Teachers and Salaries*—Hanscam, Snow, Felker.

*Music and Drawing*—Brock, Stokes, Cole.

*Schoolhouses and Grounds*—Hanscam, Worcester, Mooney.

*Supplies*—Plumer, Ames, Duval.

*Text Books*—Felker, Yeaton, Duval.

*Rules and Regulations*—Snow, Stokes, Springfield.

*Transportation*—Yeaton, Brock, Springfield.

*Ungraded Schools*—Ames, Cole, Mooney.

*Truancy*—Felker, Cole, Worcester.

*Superintendent of Schools*—Ernest L. Silver.



## FINANCIAL STATEMENT, For the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1900.

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### Receipts for Support of Schools.

Balance from last year,	\$ 1,551 01
Appropriation,	18,500 00
Literary fund,	701 67
Dog tax,	916 24
Cash from tuitions, etc.,	173 18
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### Disbursements.

Teachers' salaries,	\$14,740 04
Janitors,	1,664 68
Fuel,	950 44
Transportation,	1,375 74
Repairs,	504 97
Supervision,	1,000 00
Incidentals,	602 16
School books and supplies,	1,042 09
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### East Rochester School House.

Indebtedness, January 1, 1900,	\$3,778 90
Paid to reduce indebtedness,	2,000 00
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Indebtedness, January 1, 1900,	\$1,778 90

### Gonic School House.

Indebtedness, January 1, 1900,	\$12,962 30
Interest,	436 17
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	\$13,398 47
 Paid to reduce indebtedness,	 9,673 47
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Indebtedness, January 1, 1901,	\$3,725 00

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### Furnishing Gonic School House.

Appropriation,	\$153 30
Paid Chandler Adjustable Chair & Desk Co.,	143 00
Boston & Maine railroad, freight,	5 80
Stephen S. Brock, putting in desks,	4 50
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	\$153 30

## ITEMS OF DISBURSEMENT.

### Teachers' Salaries.

J. Sherman Richardson,	22 weeks,	\$733 34
Frederick G. Getchell,	15 $\frac{1}{5}$ "	464 42
Anna S. Allen,	37 $\frac{1}{5}$ "	671 61
Frances E. McDuffee,	37 $\frac{1}{5}$ "	620 00
Lotta E. Neal,	37 $\frac{1}{5}$ "	620 00
Sara C. Ames,	22 "	366 66
Abbie M. Sanger,	15 $\frac{1}{5}$ "	232 19
Annie I. Rollins,	37 $\frac{1}{5}$ "	418 50
Lida Varney,	" "	418 50
Mamie F. Kelley,	" "	418 50
Linnie M. Moulton,	" "	418 50
Jessie M. Walker,	" "	446 40
Aimee J. Berry,	" "	334 80
Anna M. Hodgdon,	" "	334 80
Florence M. Dearborn,	15 $\frac{1}{5}$ "	136 80
Nellie M. Wentworth,	32 $\frac{4}{5}$ "	328 00
G. Hortense Pentecost,	37 $\frac{1}{5}$ "	334 80
Sadie O. Allen,	22 "	198 00
Lucie H. Chamberlain,	15 $\frac{1}{5}$ "	136 80
Mayre F. Hartigan,	37 $\frac{1}{5}$ "	334 80
Mabel E. Padelford,	22 "	198 00
Annie L. Ball,	37 $\frac{1}{5}$ "	334 80
Maude Wiggin,	37 $\frac{1}{5}$ "	409 20
Eva M. Godfrey,	36 $\frac{1}{5}$ "	362 00
Nellie A. Collins,	15 "	135 00
Belle A. Jenkins,	17 "	153 00
Grace M. Bickford,	2 "	18 00
Grace McDuffee,	15 $\frac{1}{5}$ "	136 80

Elizabeth E. Goodwin,	15 $\frac{1}{5}$ weeks,	\$158 00
Benjamin S. Mooney,	20 $\frac{1}{5}$ "	252 50
Howard P. Harding,	15 $\frac{2}{5}$ "	192 50
Willa G. Keay,	37 $\frac{2}{5}$ "	420 78
Ida A. O'Donnell,	37 $\frac{2}{5}$ "	336 60
Florence A. Colgate,	22 "	198 00
Adelaide Coffin,	15 $\frac{2}{5}$ "	138 60
Teresa C. Curran,	37 $\frac{2}{5}$ "	374 00
Ruth E. Henderson,	10 "	80 00
Bessie M. Glidden,	22 "	176 00
Edna Corson,	37 $\frac{1}{5}$ "	297 60
Persis A. Crowell,	22 "	198 00
Josie F. Norris,	37 $\frac{1}{5}$ "	297 60
Phylura Dame,	22 "	176 00
A. Nester Bankart,	15 $\frac{1}{5}$ "	121 60
Kathrina E. Spencer,	14 $\frac{3}{5}$ "	116 80
Annie M. Kimball,	22 "	176 00
Clara F. Ricker,	22 "	176 00
Nellie M. Colbath,	12 "	96 00
Alice Otis,	9 $\frac{1}{5}$ "	92 00
Grace M. Keir,	12 "	120 00
Gertrude Bumford,	8 "	78 20
Addie Hunt,	3 "	27 30
Lizzie F. Burrell,	37 "	674 44
Benjamin S. Mooney, balance of \$1.50 per week for 34 $\frac{1}{5}$ weeks,		51 30
		<hr/> \$14,740 04

**Janitors.**

Isaac A. Varney,	\$660 00
Geo. M. Rankin,	343 10
Geo. L. Young,	301 40
I. Dana Hodgdon,	172 68
Frank Ellis,	22 00
Mervin Giles,	40 00
Frank Horne,	32 00
Fred P. Berry,	20 00
Willis Meader,	16 00
Forest Chalmers,	11 00
Harry Chalmers,	8 00
Perley Roberts,	11 00
Annie L. Ball,	5 50
Phylura Dame,	5 50
Annie M. Kimball,	5 50
Josie F. Norris,	5 50
Clara F. Ricker,	5 50
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	\$1,664 68

**Repairs.**

Chas. W. Bradley, 1 cask lime,	\$ 1 00
Berry & Shorey, hardware sundries,	5 88
Rochester Foundry & Machine Co., labor and supplies,	8 88
F. W. Crocker, labor at Gonic,	1 30
Rochester Lumber Co., set of table legs,	1 00
A. W. Richards & Co., lumber,	1 25
Berry & Shorey, hardware sundries,	8 28
Rochester Lumber Co., lumber,	4 35
Harry F. Howard, concreting at East Rochester and Gonic,	344 50
Berry & Shorey, hardware sundries,	3 34
Rochester Foundry & Machine Co., labor and supplies,	11 05

Geo. W. McDuffee, putting on noduster at Gonic,	\$10 95
Rochester Lumber Co., four windows,	3 80
Rochester Carpet Co., enamel, shades and pulleys,	11 08
Kiesel Fire Brick Co., bricks and clay,	73
F. W. Crocker, repairing fire box at high school,	75
“ labor and cement,	2 96
A. W. Richards & Co., lumber,	3 76
Rochester Lumber Co., lumber,	2 55
James Corson, hauling sand,	1 00
Cooper & Junkins, labor and supplies,	13 38
H. C. Hanson, labor and supplies,	26 89
Chas. M. Bailey, labor and supplies,	33 20
Gonic Mfg. Co., supplies,	3 09
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	\$504 97

### Fuel.

A. R. Chalmers, 1 cord wood, fitted,	\$ 5 00
Chas. Roberts, 3 cords hard wood, 1 cord soft wood, fitted,	22 00
Morrill & Greenfield, $\frac{1}{2}$ cord pine,	2 75
John E. F. Watson, fitting 2 cords wood,	1 50
Chas. A. Watson, 1 cord hard wood, 1 cord pine,	8 00
James F. Foss, wood for 1898, Dry hill,	21 75
“ “ 1899, “	18 38
“ “ 1900, “	8 00
Morrill & Greenfield, $1\frac{1}{2}$ cords pine, fitted,	6 25
Daniel F. Jenness, 1 cord pine,	3 25
J. Andrew Jackson, $\frac{1}{2}$ cord mixed wood,	2 00
Chas. A. Watson, $\frac{1}{2}$ cord pine,	1 88
Morrill & Greenfield, 1 cord pine, $\frac{1}{2}$ cord hard wood,	6 75
John W. Berry, kindlings,	1 00
Ernest L. Roberts, 1 cord pine, 1 cord hard, and fitting,	10 00
Morrill & Greenfield, 1 cord hard wood, 1 cord pine,	9 50

Chas. W. Bradley, 112 T., 513 lbs. Pocahontas coal, at \$4.85; 44 T., 1,555 lbs. Lehigh egg coal, at \$5.70,	\$799 68
Morrill & Greenfield, $\frac{1}{2}$ cord wood,	2 75
F. D. Henderson, 2 cords hard wood, 1 cord pine,	14 00
Willis E. Meader, 1 cord soft wood,	3 50
Harry Chalmers, fitting and housing wood,	1 00
James Corson, $\frac{1}{2}$ cord soft wood,	1 50
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	\$950 44

### Transportation.

Geo. T. Downing, 14 weeks,	\$ 84 00
Annie D. Gerrish, 8 4-5 "	22 00
Chas. F. Evans, 10 "	30 00
Geo. F. Babb, 11 "	102 66
Geo. T. Downing, 10 "	60 00
Geo. F. Babb, 12 "	112 00
Geo. T. Downing, 12 "	72 00
Annie D. Gerrish, 11 1-5 "	28 00
Chas. F. Evans, 12 "	36 00
Annie D. Gerrish, 12 days at \$.50,	6 00
Ovid Leavitt, 5 weeks,	48 61
Frank B. Drew, 1-3 school year,	100 00
Ovid Leavitt, bal. fall term,	106 94
Daniel F. Jenness, fall term,	122 20
John W. Meserve, "	149 33
Arthur H. Hayes, "	144 00
Chas. F. Evans, "	56 00
Geo. T. Downing, "	96 00
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	\$1,375 74



## Supervision.

W. N. Cragin,	\$600 00
E. L. Silver,	400 00
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	\$1,000 00

## Incidentals.

Arthur N. Brock, services as secretary of board,	\$25 00
M. E. Sterrett, trucking,	75
Town of Milton, one-third expense of school at So. Milton,	76 00
Courier Publishing Co., 1,000 letter heads,	3 50
The Record Co., printing notice,	2 15
W. N. Cragin, cash paid for sundries,	8 25
Dana Wentworth, sundry supplies,	14 11
Loring, Short & Harmon, printing school reports,	5 25
Fenno W. Fifield, printing Board directory,	2 75
Rochester Carpet Co., picture wire, floor brush,	2 23
Rochester Lumber Co., 132 models, @ .20,	26 40
Courier Publishing Co., 500 letter heads,	2 50
Berry & Shorey, hardware sundries,	1 45
The Record Co., printing report cards,	6 25
J. B. Young, trucking,	50
S. W. Goodwin, cleaning 6 vaults,	6 00
Courier Publishing Co., printing for graduation,	49 50
Manning's orchestra, music for graduation,	16 00
Leslie P. Snow, speaker for graduation,	14 30
F. E. Whitney, filling diplomas,	13 88
The Record Co., printing notices,	1 50
First M. E. church for graduation,	10 00
W. N. Cragin, cash paid for express, freight and sundries,	20 22
John F. Quinlan, horse hire,	1 28
J. B. Young, trucking,	6 50

Wilder B. Neal, 6 stone jars,	\$ 1 80
Rochester Carpet Co., floor brush,	2 00
M. E. Sterrett, trucking,	50
Boston & Maine railroad, freight to Gonic,	26
Mrs. Martha Glick, cleaning, Main street and Maple street,	24 00
Mrs. Jane Poors, cleaning, East Rochester,	18 00
Mrs. John Morgan, cleaning, High and Upham streets,	29 00
Mrs. Frank Calef, cleaning Rogers school house,	3 00
Fred P. Meader, tuning piano for graduation,	2 00
S. W. Goodwin, cleaning two vaults, Main street,	2 00
Rochester Water Works, 1½ days labor,	2 50
Mrs. Geo. W. McDuffee, cleaning Gonic school house,	15 00
Chas. S. Brock, cleaning Meaderboro house and vault,	6 00
Amy G. Dame, accompanist at graduation, 1900,	3 00
Isaac Varney, express, trucking, etc.,	2 66
J. B. Young, trucking,	5 65
Salinger Bros., ribbon,	9 28
J. F. Quinlan, team to Meaderboro twice,	1 00
Gleaner Brush Co., two brushes,	3 25
Courier Publishing Co., 1,000 letter heads, 1,000 envelopes, 1,000 folders,	10 00
E. L. Silver, cash paid for express, freight, telegrams, etc.,	10 49
Hanscam & McDuffee, chairs, desks and tables,	55 00
Hanscam & McDuffee, dusters, carting,	12 00
Rochester Lumber Co.,	25
Berry & Shorey, hardware sundries,	7 01
Henry C. Walker, trucking,	1 85
John F. Quinlan, horse hire,	78
Courier Publishing Co., 500 stickers for report cards,	2 25
Henry Evans, curtains and pulleys,	3 30

The Record Co., envelopes, program and rank cards,	\$ 9 95
Berry & Shorey, hardware sundries,	1 62
S. W. Goodwin, cleaning vaults at School street, Upham street and Main street,	6 00
Courier Publishing Co., furnishing and printing 500 postals,	6 50
J. A. Allen, two door mats,	4 80
Berry & Shorey, hardware,	1 76
Ira B. Moore, 1 dozen zincs,	60
Rochester Carpet Co., 3 floor brushes, 5 yards silkolene,	6 60
E. L. Silver, cash paid for sundries,	11 23
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### School Books and Supplies.

Thorp & Martin, one dozen state blanks,	\$ 2 04
Edward E. Babb & Co., book-keeping blanks and paper,	21 20
Silver, Burdett & Co., music readers and charts,	78 34
Edward E. Babb & Co., sundry supplies,	49 87
Ginn & Co., books,	46 92
T. H. Castor & Co., books,	12 60
William A. Davis Co., keg ink,	6 00
J. L. Hammett Co., school supplies,	70 50
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L. E. Knott Apparatus Co., 6-cell battery,	11 10
D. C. Heath & Co., supplementary music,	3 00
Houghton, Mifflin & Co., books,	13 26
Edward E. Babb & Co., supplies,	10 90
Ginn & Co., books,	11 27
Houghton, Mifflin & Co., books,	7 65
Eldredge & Brother, books,	5 00

Allyn & Bacon, 20 Herbariums,	\$12 50
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies,	10 80
American Book Co., books,	24 88
Silver, Burdett & Co., books,	19 60
Thos. R. Shewell & Co., 24 dozen copy books,	16 80
American Book Co., books,	19 20
Maynard, Merrill & Co., books,	3 60
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies,	18 15
Werner School Book Co., books,	27 29
Boston Music Co., music for graduation,	5 76
D. C. Heath & Co., books,	30 96
Oliver Ditson Co., music for graduation,	1 50
Edward L. Miles, ink,	1 10
Masury, Young & Co., $\frac{1}{2}$ barrel noduster,	29 40
J. L. Hammett Co., 2 gallons liquid slating,	9 00
Allyn & Bacon, books,	38 53
T. H. Castor & Co., books,	1 94
D. C. Heath & Co., books,	30 61
Silver, Burdett & Co., books,	31 40
American Book Co., books,	33 60
Thorp & Martin Co., books,	2 88
Edward E. Babb & Co., school supplies,	32 45
J. L. Hammett Co., school supplies,	6 59
Wm. A. Davis Co., ink,	4 00
Henry Holt & Co., books,	4 50
Edward E. Babb & Co., school supplies,	51 90
Werner School Book Co., books,	51 75
T. H. Castor & Co., books,	1 31
Edward E. Babb & Co., school supplies,	38 15
D. C. Heath & Co., books,	3 90
Silver, Burdett & Co., books,	54 00
Eagle Pencil Co.,	6 40
Hayes & Cobb, chemical supplies,	6 62
R. DeWitt Burnham, chemical supplies,	7 77

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Rules and Regulations

OF THE

SCHOOL BOARD

OF THE

CITY OF ROCHESTER,

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

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Revision of 1900.





## RULES AND REGULATIONS

### For the Schools of the City of Rochester.

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#### CHAPTER I.

##### RULES OF THE SCHOOL BOARD.

SECTION 1. *Organization.*—On the Thursday evening next after the second Wednesday of January, the school board shall meet annually at eight o'clock for organization.

SEC. 2. *Officers.*—The officers of the board shall be a president and secretary. The mayor is *ex-officio* president of the board; and a secretary shall be elected annually by ballot and major vote.

SEC. 3. *Meetings.*—Regular meetings of the board shall be held on the second Thursday evening of each month at eight o'clock. Special meetings of the board shall be called by the president whenever he may deem it necessary, or at the request of two or more members; or in the absence or disability of the president, by the secretary in like manner. At all regular meetings of the Board the business shall proceed according to the following order, unless otherwise directed by vote:

1. Roll call.
2. Reading of the records of the previous meeting.
3. Petitions, applications and notices.
4. Report of the superintendent.
5. Reports of standing and sub-committees.
6. Report of special committees.
7. Unfinished business.
8. New and miscellaneous business.

SEC. 4. *Quorum*.—A majority of the members shall constitute a quorum.

SEC. 5. *Rules*.—Meetings shall be conducted, except when special provision is made, in accordance with Cushing's Manual.

SEC. 6. *The Duties of the President* shall be to call special meetings of the board, to call the members to order at the appointed time, and preside at all meetings. In his absence a president pro tem. shall be elected. He shall, unless otherwise ordered, appoint the following committees: On school finance, teachers and salaries, music and drawing, schoolhouses and grounds, supplies, text books, rules and regulations, transportation, ungraded schools, truancy.

SEC. 7. *The Duties of the Secretary* shall be to keep a fair record of the doings of the board, in a book suitable for that purpose, in which he shall enter all the proceedings in full, including all important reports of committees, and also the names of the members present at each meeting. He shall immediately notify all school officers and teachers of their election or appointment, the term and position to which the teacher is elected and salary voted, and shall see that school officers and teachers are supplied with copies of the last revision of the rules and regulations and promptly notify them of any change made in them. He shall conduct all necessary correspondence of the board and perform all other duties that appropriately belong to the office of secretary.

SEC. 8. *The Board Shall*, annually in the month of June, elect by ballot and major vote, a Superintendent of Schools, who shall seasonably furnish to the officers of the state all the returns required by statute to be made to them. He shall supervise the schools, examine applicants for positions as teachers, and report their qualifications to the board; visit the schools systematically, and direct the methods and details of instruction, pointing out defects and suggesting remedies. He

shall procure, and keep each school supplied with, the authorized text books and supplies; shall secure, as far as possible, harmony and uniformity of work in all departments of the same grade, and keep a scheme of the order of exercises in all the schools. In conformity to Chapter 4 of these Rules and Regulations, he shall examine pupils and assign them to the proper grades and direct the promotions to be made; and may degrade any who in his opinion are in a grade more advanced than their qualifications should allow, subject, however, to the approval of the board. He shall supply a suitable substitute in the absence of any regular teacher for a period of less than four weeks. He shall keep himself informed in regard to all improvements and suggestions made upon the subject of school instruction, and recommend the adoption of such as he deems practical and expedient. Subject to the approval of the board, he shall prescribe the boundaries of the different schools and see that they are observed; direct and assist the truant officer in his duties, and try to improve the school attendance; and shall cause these rules and regulations to be strictly observed and report to the board all violation or neglect of them. He shall also each term collect and pay over to the city treasurer the tuitions of pupils residing beyond the limits of the city, and shall make up the monthly pay roll of teachers and janitors, and of those engaged in transportation of scholars under contract.

SEC. 9. *A Committee on School Finance*, consisting of three members, shall be chosen annually, who shall meet at least once in each month, and carefully examine and audit all accounts and claims contracted or authorized by the School Board, itemized and approved as provided in the following section, and if found correct and justly due, shall allow and pass the same to the city clerk. For the consideration of the City Council they shall annually, before the last regular meeting of the year, make and seasonably report to the board a careful estimate of the expenses of the schools for the following year.

SEC. 10. *No Account or Claim* shall be received or acted upon by said committee unless each item thereof shall be specifically set forth, and unless the accuracy and justness of the same shall be approved thereon by the officer or agent authorized to make the contract or cause the expenditure to be made.

SEC. 11. *Special Duties of Members.*—Members of the board may be charged with the performance of other special duties as occasion may require.

SEC. 12. *Election of School Officers.*—Teachers of all schools, and also the janitors of the school buildings at Gonic, East Rochester and Rochester Village, and all other school officers shall be elected annually in June by ballot and by a major vote of the board, except as otherwise herein provided; but whenever, for any reason, there may be a delay in filling any position, or whenever a vacancy shall occur after the annual election, it may be filled at any time in the same manner, but no person shall be eligible to fill any permanent vacancy in the corps of teachers, or to be transferred, unless, if a female, she be unmarried, nor shall any be eligible unless a graduate of some recognized training school, normal school, or college, except by a vote of ten members of the School Board. Marriage of itself shall be considered a resignation, but if it occurs during the term, the teacher may continue to teach to the end of said term.

No person shall be employed as a regular teacher without having passed a satisfactory examination upon the branches taught in the schools, methods of teaching, and school management, except that the diploma of a reputable normal school or college may be accepted in place of such examination, and holders of state certificates shall also be exempt from it.

The certificate given by the superintendent of schools will be good only for one year from the date of its issuance. All teachers who have not taught in the public schools of Rochester for a period of five years, previous to July 1, 1900, shall be required to take an examination, and after a period of two

years from this date all regular teachers shall be required to have a state certificate. Special teachers, who are not qualified as herein set forth, may, however, be elected by receiving ten votes and passing an examination given by the superintendent.

If any teacher shall neglect to accept in writing the position and terms offered within ten days of the time of receiving notice of the secretary, such neglect shall be considered a declination, and at a subsequent meeting of the board another teacher shall be elected to such position.

SEC. 13. *On Probation.*—Any officer named in the last section not holding at the time of his election a position of the same grade as that to which he is elected, shall be on probation, his services to expire at the close of any term of school, in case his election is not confirmed for the balance of the official period by a vote of the board.

SEC. 14. *Tenure of Office.*—All teachers shall hold their positions until the next annual election, and the janitors named for one year ending the first day of August after the next annual election, except as provided in the last section, unless in the meantime they are removed by the board; and will not be allowed to resign without the consent of the board, and at least one month's notice shall be given.

SEC. 15. Other janitors may be appointed by the board, or by an authorized committee at any time, and for such periods as may be deemed expedient

SEC. 16. *The Annual Salaries* of school officers shall be determined at the time of their election, and shall not be subject to a change at time of confirmation, and no salary shall at any time be increased during the period for which they were elected, except by a two-thirds vote of the board.



## CHAPTER II.

## DUTIES OF TEACHERS AND DISCIPLINE OF SCHOOLS.

SECTION 1. *General Duties.*—Teachers shall make teaching their only regular business, and during term time shall not instruct the pupils in other than the branches prescribed, nor give instruction to private pupils without the consent of the superintendent first obtained. In graded schools they shall follow the prescribed course of study. They shall prepare themselves to instruct their several classes faithfully, impartially and effectively, according to the regulations prescribed by the board and the provisions of the laws of the state; and in all subjects and methods, in which it is possible, shall teach the reason with the subject or method, and make every effort to develop the reasoning faculties of their pupils. They shall strive earnestly to promote diligence, courtesy and obedience, and to inspire their pupils with an enthusiasm for study.

SEC. 2. *The Principals of School Buildings* shall have the management and control, not only of the pupils of their own grades and rooms, but of all others in or about their buildings or premises, when not in the rooms with their respective teachers. They shall also, when their assistance is needed, attend to cases of discipline in any part of their respective buildings. Other teachers will cheerfully co-operate with their principals in the execution of their plans and wishes.

SEC. 3. *Opening of Schools.*—The schools shall be opened punctually at the appointed time, and the morning exercises shall begin with the reading of a selection of the Scripture. It is recommended that this reading be followed by some devotional exercise.

SEC. 4. *Order of Exercises.*—Every teacher shall prepare and keep an order of exercises in the school room, where it may be seen by the pupils and visitors, and shall at the beginning of the term furnish a copy to the superintendent.

SEC. 5. *Physical Exercises*.—There shall be short calisthenic exercises as often as once each session, in all except the high school, and teachers, especially those of the lower grades, shall endeavor to relieve their pupils by a variety of exercises, change of position and the like, as far as can be done without interfering with the school work.

SEC. 6. *Discipline*.—Teachers shall aim by precept and example, to improve the manners and morals of their pupils. They shall exercise the same authority over them during recesses and on the premises as in the school room; shall avoid corporal punishment in all cases where good order can be preserved by milder means, and when inflicted they are to preserve their self control and refrain from exhibiting anger or impatience.

SEC. 7. *Suspension and Expulsion*.—The principal in the high school building, or a teacher in any building or room, may suspend from school a pupil of any grade for violent or obstinate resistance to authority or gross misconduct, but he shall immediately report the case to the superintendent and to the parents or guardians of the scholar. When the conduct, example or general influence of a pupil becomes very injurious, and his reformation appears hopeless, or he manifests a determined disregard of the rules and good order of the school, he may be expelled by the board. Any pupil suspended, on giving evidence of amendment, may be restored by the superintendent, otherwise the case shall be reported to the board for its action. Any pupil expelled may be re-admitted on probation, and on ample proof of reformation may be restored by vote of the board.

SEC. 8. *Pupils Leaving Under Censure*.—Teachers shall give immediate notice to the superintendent whenever a pupil shall leave under censure, and such pupil shall not be permitted to attend any public school in the city except by his order.



SEC. 9. *Care of School Rooms and Premises.*—Teachers shall be in their respective school rooms at least fifteen minutes before the opening of each session to admit pupils, see that proper order is maintained and that proper care is taken of the school buildings; that the school rooms are clean, and that entries, yards and outbuildings are kept in good condition, and in executing the last requirement they may command the services of the janitors. They shall also see that the windows of their respective rooms and entries are fastened, and the doors locked at the close of the exercises of each session of school. During the intermission as few pupils as possible shall be allowed to remain in the school buildings; and in the high school building these shall occupy only such rooms as the principal shall assign them. Teachers shall make such rules as are necessary and reasonable for good order and neatness on the school premises.

SEC. 10.—*Liability for Damages.*—Teachers shall be held responsible for the school property entrusted to their care, but all injury done to it by any pupil shall be paid for by the parent or guardian.

SEC. 11. *Profanity, Indecent Writing and Wilful Damage.* Any pupil who shall, on or near the school premises, use or write any profane or indecent language, draw or exhibit any obscene picture or representation, or shall wilfully damage or deface any school property, shall be liable to expulsion and prosecution.

SEC. 12. *The Use of Tobacco* in any form and games of chance on or near the school premises, are strictly prohibited.

SEC. 13. *Ventilation and Temperature.*—Teachers shall be extremely careful that their rooms are properly ventilated, that the temperature is kept as near as possible to 68 degrees Fahrenheit, and that children are not allowed to sit in a draft of air.

SEC. 14. *School Registers.*—Teachers shall fill up and return their school registers in strict conformity to the directions contained in them, except when otherwise directed, and shall also keep for their use and for that of the superintendent an accurate list, giving the full name, age and grade of each pupil, and the name of the street upon which he resides.

### CHAPTER III.

#### THE SCHOOL YEAR, SCHOOL HOURS, HOLIDAYS AND VACATIONS.

SECTION 1. *The School Year* shall begin the Tuesday following the first Monday of September and shall consist of thirty-eight weeks and be divided into three terms. The length of the terms shall be arranged by the superintendent according to the calendar, with a winter and spring vacation not exceeding four weeks in all.

SEC. 2. *Holidays.*—Saturdays when not required in making up time lost in not teaching. Thanksgiving day and Memorial day shall be allowed as holidays.

Whenever the superintendent of schools deems it advisable he may allow teachers to visit such other schools as he may direct. He may close all the schools of the city, or any school in order that the teachers may attend the State Teachers' Association or the Strafford County Teachers' Association, as provided by law, and he shall keep a record of all teachers who attend the meetings of said associations in good faith, and, in making up the pay-roll, he shall deduct from the salary of any teacher who does not attend a sum equal to his salary for the time lost.

SEC. 3. *School Sessions.*—There shall be two daily sessions of all the schools except the high school. The school board may determine the number of sessions for the high school. Five hours shall constitute a school day.

SEC. 4. *Recesses*.—Every school shall have a recess of fifteen minutes during the morning and ten minutes during the afternoon session, with the exception of the schools in the high school building and other schools of similar grade, where there shall be no recess in the afternoon. In no case shall a pupil be wholly deprived of a recess as a punishment.

## CHAPTER IV.

### ADMISSION, PROMOTION, EXAMINATION AND ATTENDANCE.

SECTION 1. *Infectious Diseases*.—No pupil or teacher shall be allowed to attend school from any house in which small pox, varioloid, scarlet fever, measles or diphtheria prevail; and any teacher or pupil who has been affected with any of the above mentioned diseases, or has been in any way exposed to them shall not in any instance be admitted to the school room except by written certificate of immunity procured from the board of health. If any teacher has reason to believe that a pupil has any of these diseases he shall send the latter to his parent or guardian with a note to that effect and at once notify the superintendent of such action.

SEC. 2. *Pupils Residing Beyond the Limits of the City* may be permitted to attend its schools, except in cases where such attendance would crowd any school beyond its accommodations. When so permitted they shall pay tuition at or before the middle of each term as follows: In the high school fifty cents per week; in the five higher grades of other schools, thirty-three and one-third cents per week, and in all other grades twenty-five cents per week.

SEC. 3. *Boundaries*.—Teachers shall receive or retain in their schools only those pupils whose residences are within the prescribed boundaries of their respective schools, except by consent of the superintendent. Parents or guardians may, in case of their removal from the prescribed boundaries of any one

school to those of another, continue their children in the school they are attending till the end of the term. No pupil, however, shall be received from one school into another without the approval of the superintendent, or without a certificate of transfer from the teacher whose school he leaves, stating the name, age, grade, standing and reason for the transfer, and the teacher receiving such pupil shall immediately acknowledge the receipt of the certificate.

SEC. 4. *Admission.*—Children, if residing within the boundaries of the school, and qualified to enter some one of the classes, shall be admitted to the lowest grade of school at any time without a certificate, except such as may be required by the provisions of the last section, but if unable to read they shall be admitted only during the first four weeks of the fall term and during the first three weeks of the spring term. A pupil may be admitted to other grades by promotion as provided in the following sections, 9 and 10, or, if he has not been a member of a lower grade during the preceding term, then, after due examination, by a certificate stating the grade which the pupil is qualified to enter, signed by the superintendent of schools. No child under five years of age shall be admitted to any school.

SEC. 5. *Written Examinations* shall be given in such classes and at such times as the superintendent of schools may direct.

SEC. 6. *Teachers of the High and Grammar Schools* shall at the close of each week record the standing of the pupils in their respective classes as regards recitations and deportment, making use in such record of the terms A, excellent; B, good; C, fair; D, unsatisfactory; E, very poor.

SEC. 7. *Reports of the Standing* and attendance of all pupils of the high and grammar schools shall be sent to the parents at the middle and close of each term.

SEC. 8. *Promotions Shall be Made* annually at the close of the spring term; but individual pupils may be promoted at any time during the year, when in the opinion of the teacher and superintendent, such promotion would be for the interest of the pupil.

SEC. 9. *All Promotions* shall be made by the superintendent of schools.

Teachers shall seasonably furnish him with lists of their respective pupils, together with a statement of the work that each has done. If the work is satisfactory, the pupil shall receive a certificate of promotion. No pupil shall remain more than two years in the same grade.

If a pupil fails of promotion, the teacher shall at once notify the parent or guardian, stating the subjects in which the pupil is deficient, and if the parent shall so request the pupil shall be given an examination upon the subjects in which he is deficient, and if he passes it satisfactorily he shall be promoted.

SEC. 10. *Excused Absence*.—Legitimate causes for absence from school are sickness, domestic affliction, danger of serious or imprudent exposure of health, necessary absence from town and no others. Absence from such causes shall not effect the standing of any pupil, provided a written excuse or personal explanation from his parent or guardian is seasonably furnished, and the pupil passes within a reasonable time a satisfactory examination in the studies pursued during his absence.

SEC. 11. *Unexcused Absence, Tardiness, Leaving School Before Close of Term*.—Tardiness shall be considered equivalent to one-fourth of a day's absence; and any pupil in any but the three lowest grades of school whose absence and tardiness shall amount to seven days in any term, or who shall have left school before the close of a term, shall cease to be a member of the school, and shall be re-admitted only by the written consent of the superintendent, on condition of making up within a reasonable time the lessons lost. Pupils who are



absent one-fourth of the time in any term may be put into the next lower grade.

SEC. 12. *Leaving School During a Session.*—No pupil, except in the two lowest grades of school, shall be allowed to leave the school during a session or before the dismissal of the school, unless on account of sickness or some pressing emergency of which the teacher is to judge, and a written or personal request from the parent or guardian shall be required when the necessity is not evident.

SEC. 13. *Truancy.*—Teachers shall report the names and residences of all truants and of those suspected of truancy, together with the names of their parents or guardians, to the truant officer as early as practicable. They shall keep a record of the names of all truants, which shall be open at all times to the inspection of the members of the board and of the truant officer.

SEC. 14. *Any Child Between the Age of Six and Sixteen Years,* having no regular and lawful occupation, and of sufficient health, neglecting to attend some proper school, or remaining absent, or playing truant therefrom, shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not exceeding ten dollars; and in default of payment thereof be committed to the industrial school till the same be paid or he is otherwise discharged; or, instead of such fine, he may be sentenced to said industrial school for a term not exceeding one year.

SEC. 15. *It shall be the Duty of the Superintendent* to send a copy of Sections 14 and 15 of Chapter 94 of the Public Statutes, and Sections 13 and 14 of this Chapter of the Rules and Regulations of the School Board to every person who he has reason to believe does not comply with the regulations thereof, and report to the Committee on Truancy the names of all who still fail to comply therewith; and it shall be the duty of said committee to see to the enforcement of said statute and said rules.

## CHAPTER V.

## TEXT BOOKS AND STUDIES.

SECTION 1. *Courses of Study.*—The high school has three courses of study, each covering a period of four years, and denominated English (with French), Latin-Scientific and Classical, as at present arranged, subject to such modifications as the board shall direct. The course for the other schools shall be divided into nine grades, each grade including an average year's work, and designated by Roman numerals from I to IX, beginning with the lowest, the number corresponding with the year in the school.

SEC. 2. *Selecting Courses.* — Pupils will be expected to decide when they enter the high school which of the courses they will pursue, and will not be permitted to change after the commencement of the second year, except by vote of the board.

SEC. 3. *Graduation.* — Scholars who have satisfactorily completed any of the high school courses will be allowed to graduate, and be awarded suitable diplomas.

SEC. 4. *Change of Text Books and Studies.* No change shall be made in the high school courses of study or in the text books used in the schools, and no new text books introduced, except by a major vote of the board at a regular meeting, notice thereof having been given at a previous meeting.

SEC. 5. *Care of Books.*—School books and supplies furnished by the city shall be charged to and in care of the teachers, and at the end of each term they shall take an accurate account of them, and make a report thereof to the superintendent. They shall loan them to their pupils, and see that they are carefully used and not marked, defaced or injured. Pupils shall be required to replace or pay for such as they lose or injure. All reading books, pens, pen-holders, and also such slates, pencils and other books as pupils do not ordinarily



need to take home for study, shall remain in the school rooms, and pupils shall have them in their possession only while they absolutely need to use them, and after each instance of such use they shall be returned to the possession of the teacher. Such books and supplies as pupils are allowed to take from the school rooms shall be charged to them (the books being first numbered) by the teachers loaning them in record books provided for the purpose, in which shall also be noted the time and their condition when loaned; and at the close of each term or on leaving school, pupils shall be required to return all such books to the teacher.

SEC. 6. *In Books Belonging to the City* shall be written or printed the phrase, "The Property of the City of Rochester, N. H.," together with the rules to be observed in their care and use.

SEC. 7. *Books for Reference* only shall also be numbered, and when in the possession of pupils shall be charged to them. Pupils shall be encouraged and directed to use, but not permitted to take them from the school buildings except by special permission of the teachers, and then not allowed to retain them longer than the beginning of the next school session.

SEC. 8. *Text Books and Supplies Needed.*—Whenever a school is not sufficiently furnished with text books and supplies the teacher shall report the fact to the superintendent in writing, specifying the books and supplies needed.

## CHAPTER VI.

### VOCAL MUSIC AND DRAWING.

SECTION 1. Vocal music and drawing shall be taken as regular studies in such schools as shall be designated by the school board.

SEC. 2. Before the second Monday in each term the supervisors of music and drawing shall submit to the superintendent of schools a schedule of the music and drawing periods in the several rooms.

SEC. 3. The special teachers of music and drawing shall, while in each of the several rooms, have complete charge of the same, and every teacher is expected to aid and assist in any way that may be required.

SEC. 4. They shall call special meetings of the teachers for the purpose of instruction.

SEC. 5. No pupil will be excused from the study of vocal music or drawing unless permission is obtained from the special teacher and the superintendent of schools.

SEC. 6. Each teacher shall record in the school register each visit of the supervisors of music and drawing, and she shall make to the superintendent of schools a written report of visits made by them each term.

## CHAPTER VII.

### DUTIES OF JANITORS.

SECTION 1. *Janitors* of all schools are to have charge of all rooms in the school building, and of all school yards and outbuildings and shall keep them in good condition.

SEC. 2. They shall keep all necessary paths in the yard free from snow and ice, sprinkle the steps and walks with sand when slippery, examine all outbuildings daily, and keep them in perfectly good order, promptly report all nuisances or defacements committed in them to the teachers, with the names of those they may detect in, or suspect of, committing the same, and shall unlock them in the morning and lock them at night, before and after each school day. They shall sweep every school

room as often as every alternate school day, and the halls and passageways as often at least, and oftener, if necessary, to keep them in a neat condition, and shall dust all furniture each morning before the opening of the school session. They shall have each school room properly warmed at least thirty minutes before each school session, and shall seasonably notify the member of the school board charged with the duty of furnishing fuel when any material for making or kindling fires or other supplies necessary to the performance of their duty are wanted. They shall wind and regulate the clocks, and when not present themselves they shall, at all times, except during the session of the school or presence of the teachers, keep the windows fastened and the doors locked, and allow no one to enter any school building in the absence of the teachers.

SEC. 3. *The Janitors of the High, East Rochester and Gonic School Buildings* shall perform such of the duties prescribed in the two previous sections as are not inapplicable to their respective school buildings and premises. During each term of school they shall devote their whole time to their duties as janitors, except that they may also perform the duties of truant officer if appointed to that office. They shall keep their school buildings properly supplied with water, and shut it off at the beginning of each vacation, and shall give their personal attention to the heating apparatus while in use and keep it at all times in good condition. They shall thoroughly cleanse all rooms, halls, passageways, and all windows, as often as twice each year; shall keep their school premises in a neat and orderly condition, and during vacations shall have the care and oversight of them and see that no damage is done.

SEC. 4. They shall be present during recesses, and half an hour before the beginning, and twenty minutes after the close, of each school session, and allow no pupil to enter their school buildings in the absence of their teachers except by permission of the principal. They shall co-operate with the

teachers in the maintenance of good order about the premises, and assist in the supervision of pupils during recesses, and while forming to march in and out of the buildings. If pupils are allowed to remain in any of the buildings during intermissions the janitor shall also remain and have charge of all such pupils, restrict them to the rooms assigned them by the principal, suppress all boisterous or disorderly conduct, see that they do not damage or deface the building, or otherwise violate the school regulations.

SEC. 5. *Repairs.*—They shall make such repairs as they conveniently can, such as setting glass and the like. All other needed repairs, all damages and nuisances, they shall report to the school board.

## CHAPTER VIII.

### ENFORCEMENT AND AMENDMENTS.

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of all the school officers to acquaint themselves and the scholars thoroughly with the school regulations, and within their respective jurisdictions to enforce them.

SEC. 2. These Rules and Regulations, or any part of them may be repealed, amended, or additions made thereto by a major vote of the board, notice thereof having been given at a previous meeting.

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# VITAL STATISTICS

OF THE

## City of Rochester

FOR THE

Year Ending December 31st,  
1900.



# BIRTHS

**BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE CITY OF ROCHESTER FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1900.**

**JANUARY.**

Date of Birth.	Place of Birth.	Name of the Child (if any).	Sex & Cond.			Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color of Parents.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
			Males.	Females.	Lying in.	No. Child.								
1	Rochest'r	Alvira	F	F	L	4	Joel Laferteer	W	Rochester	Laborer	Canada	Canada	30	30
1	"	"	F	F	"	8	Joseph Labberte	"	"	Shoemaker	"	"	32	31
2	"	"	M	F	"	7	Kilda Bilodeau	"	"	Brickmaker	"	"	30	29
4	"	Deoni	F	F	"	10	Minnie Cartier	"	"	Fish Dealer	"	"	40	34
4	"	"	F	F	"	2	Cyrille Beaudoin	"	"	Loom Fixer	England	England	27	20
5	"	"	M	F	"	4	Ben'j H. Shaw	"	"	Shoe Cutter	Danvers, Mass.	Ken'b'p't, Me.	30	24
5	"	"	M	F	"	1	Geo. Lincoln	"	"	Shoemaker	Rochester	Rochester	20	19
6	"	"	M	F	"	1	Susan Thompson	"	"	"	Camb'ge, Mass.	New Durham	24	25
10	"	Louis George	M	F	"	8	Bertha Howard	"	"	Brickmaker	Canada	Canada	38	35
14	"	"	F	F	"	2	Marie Plourde	"	"	Supt. Tel. stat'n	Adams, Mass.	Brattleboro, Vt.	23	23
16	"	"	F	F	"	4	Lucie F. Parkhurst	"	"	Shoemaker	Rochester	Strafford	48	36
16	"	Lucie	F	F	"	4	Isabel S. Howard	"	"	"	Canada	"	49	39
23	"	Edward F.	M	F	"	4	Cedutie Fortier	"	"	Farmer	Salmon Falls	Lynn, Mass.	22	20
23	"	Cecil	M	F	"	1	Matilda Courrier	"	"	Shoemaker	Canada	Canada	33	36
29	"	Edmond	M	F	"	8	Sadie A. Burk	"	"	Brickmaker	Ireland	Ireland	49	42
6	"	Helen B.	F	F	"	2	Adeline Beaudoin	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
							Anna Bell Lowry							

**FEBRUARY.**

1	Rochest'r	"	F	F	L	4	John P. Jones	W	Rochester	Stone Mason	Rochester	Rochester	41	42
2	"	"	F	F	"	3	Harry C. Palmer	"	"	Machinist	"	"	22	20
4	"	Alice	F	F	"	1	Evang'ist Perreault	"	"	Shoemaker	Canada	Canada	26	23
11	E. Roch.	Louise	M	F	"	3	Fred H. Schofield	"	East Rochester	Confectioner	Amity, Me.	Min'ap's, Mich.	31	32
13	Rochest'r	Vivian	F	F	"	3	Geo. E. Grant	"	Rochester	Shoemaker	Rochester	Bridgton, Me.	34	33
13	"	"	F	F	"	3	Elizabeth Moore	"	"	"	England	Sanford, Me.	25	23
14	"	Laura	F	F	"	9	Olive E. Pillsbury	"	"	"	Canada	Canada	39	38
							Cyrille Vachon							

# FEBRUARY.—Continued.

16	Roches'r	Wilbur I.	M	L	2 w	Albert W. Bickford	Emma F. Lord	W	Rochester	Shoemaker	Rochester	S. Berwick, Me.
18	"	Wm. J. Moore	M	"	1	Honore Sanfacon	Abby E. Horne	"	"	Fireman	Worcester, Mas.	Rochester
21	"	Honore	M	"	1	Harvey Whiteh'se	Rose A. Laphante	"	"	Shoemaker	Canada	Canada
21	"	Marie B.	M	"	2	Albert Caron	Lizzie Ellis	Middleton	Middleton	Farmer	Alton	Alton
23	"	Joseph A.	F	"	6	Joseph Landry	Victoria Boivin	Rochester	Rochester	Shoemaker	Canada	Canada
24	"		M	"	2	Will'd A. Blaisdell	Deonere P. Pare	"	"	"	"	"
28	"		M	"	5		Effie L. Jones	"	"	"	Somersworth	Medway, Mass.

## MARCH.

2	Roches'r	Marian E.	F	L	3 w	Harry Hall	Catherine R. Ham	W	Rochester	Farmer	Rochester	Rochester
16	"	Mildred E.	F	"	2	Jas. E. Whipple	Carrie E. Goodwin	"	"	Carpenter	"	Gilmanton
16	"		F	"	1	Jas. E. Whipple	Carrie E. Goodwin	"	"	"	"	"
4	"	Marian M.	F	"	3	Arthur Chane	Mary Duchane	"	"	Laborer	Canada	S. Berwick, Me.
4	"		F	"	1	Frank M. Bell	May E. Goodwin	"	"	Teamster	Rochester	Lebanon, Me.
6	"	Marie E.	F	"	3	Paul Duperre	Alice R. Rogers	"	"	Painter	"	Byfield, Mass.
10	"		F	"	2	John R. Noyes	Delia Turgeon	"	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada
16	E. Roch.	Pauline	M	S	2	Aurelie Beaudoin	Jen'ie E. McCrelles	East Rochester	East Rochester	General Work	Bow	Dunbarton
14	Roches'r	Ruth	F	L	8	Charles Pearl	Delia Syvain	Rochester	Rochester	Cobbler	Canada	Canada
15	"		F	"	5	Harry C. Dame	Nellie Bragton	"	"	Shoe Trimmer	Rochester	So. Wolfeboro
15	"		F	"	1	W. T. Gunnison	Viola Simmonds	"	"	Clerk	Ossipee	Canada
18	"	Arvin	M	"	1	Wm. Moody	Grace Horney	"	"	Lawyer	Rochester	Winstead, Con.
21	E. Roch.	Bulah	F	"	6	Shirley Rawson	Ida Ross	East Rochester	East Rochester	Mill Operative	Baltimore, Md	Newfield, Me.
23	Roches'r	Florence A.	M	"	1	Unknown	Maud L. Jenness	Rochester	Rochester	Grocer	Newport	Tamworth
25	E. Roch.		M	"	3	Fred Young	Edna Corson	Rochester	Rochester	"	Rochester	Somersworth
26	Roches'r	Aurore	M	"	4	Geo. Duchesneau	Addie Hall	Rochester	Rochester	Shoemaker	Canada	Stratford
27	"	Welfrida A.	M	"	3	David Perrault	Aurelie Couture	"	"	Laborer	"	Canada
29	"	Ardys Lura	M	"	8	Cecil C. Shaw	Dina Lachance	"	"	Live Stock D'r	Strafford	Durham
30	"		M	"	1	Frank Glidden	Grace E. Stevens	"	"	R. R. Gate'nd'r	Madison	Nova Scotia
17	"		M	"	2	C. I. Garland	Josie H. Wentzell	"	"	Carpenter	Rochester	Farmington
24	"	Walter	M	"	3	Marvin S. Herson	Ada Horne	"	"	"	Lebanon, Me.	N. Waterb'o, M.
24	"	Roseanna	M	"	5	Louis Caren	Sylvia A. Clark	"	"	Brickmaker	Canada	Canada
30	"		F	"	4		Celina Bousain	"	"	"	"	34 26

# APRIL.

	Roches'r	L	M	F	W	Rochester	Laborer	Rochester	Windham, Me.	
1	"	8	M	F	Martha J. Morrill	"	Shoemaker	New Durham	Rochester	49 33
2	"	3	M	F	Dora O. Gray	"	Runs Creamery	Rochester	No. Conway	35 32
3	"	1	M	F	Hattie B. Robbins	"	Laborer	Canada	Berwick, Me.	35 26
3	"	1	M	F	Joseph'e Turcotte	"	"	Sanford, Me.	Italy	20 23
6	"	7	M	F	Mae Wallingford	"	Merchant	Stoneham, Ms.	Canada	42 32
6	"	6	M	F	Theresa Carbone	"	Shoemaker	Rochester	Canada	36 37
6	"	4	M	F	Ida F. Hall	East Rochester	Laborer	Canada	Manchester	28 32
7	"	4	M	F	Alphonine Martel	Rochester	Laborer	Canada	Canada	34 27
9	"	1	M	F	Harriett A. Butler	"	Physician	P't Byron, N. Y.	Nottingham	25 23
11	"	4	M	F	Josephine Wallace	"	Brickmaker	Canada	Rochester	34 31
12	"	4	M	F	Roseanna Lebrun	"	Laborer	Hudson, Mass.	Canada	34 28
12	"	8	M	F	Stella Lebrun	"	Shoemaker	Canada	W. Rutland, Vt.	43 38
15	"	4	M	F	Anna H. Dacy	"	Mill Operative	Grafton, Mass.	"	28 24
16	"	1	M	F	Philomene	"	Laborer	Rochester	Bingham	25
24	"	4	M	F	Mary E. Parey	"	Farmer	Canada	Norway	26 24
25	"	1	M	F	Nellie Corson	"	Brickmaker	"	"	29 26
28	"	3	M	F	Hilda Olsen	"	Clerk	Rochester	"	32 30
29	"	4	M	F	Rose A. Bilodeau	"	Chemist	Franklin	"	28 17
30	"	3	M	F	Marie Robery	"				38 37
24	"	1	M	F	Inez I. Watson	"				
29	"	6	M	F	Alice A. Whiteh'se	"				
29	"	1	M	F	W. C. Sanborn	"				

# MAY.

	Gonic Roches'r	L	M	F	W	Rochester	Painter	Canada	Canada	
1	"	6	M	F	Elodie Lahayer	"	Farmer	Hollis, Me.	Gilmanton	33 34
2	"	1	M	F	Ina Belle Page	"	Laborer	Canada	Rochester	34 28
3	"	2	M	F	Sadie A. Hall	"	"	Van Buren, Md.	Canada	32 24
5	"	2	M	F	Adelaide Vachon	"	"	Canada	Rochester	23 23
8	"	2	M	F	Marie Blouin	"	"	Canada	Canada	26 21
11	"	9	M	F	Nora M. March	"	"	Rochester	Standish, Me.	50 43
12	"	2	M	F	Mary E. Gould	East Rochester	Merchant	Lebanon, Me.	Lisbon, Me.	29 24
13	"	3	M	F	Victorea Orino	Rochester	"	Italy	Italy	27 27
14	"	2	M	F	Mary Clarity	"	Teamster	Concord	Ireland	32 22
15	"	7	M	F	Ellen Smith	"		Canada	Canada	37 33
17	"	5	M	F	Pat'k J. McDonald	"				33 33



# MAY.—Continued.

24	Roches'r Beatrice Arline	F	L	11	W	Emma E. Martin	W	Rochester	Moulder	Newfield, Me.	Saco, Me.
26	E. Roch.	M	"	4	James Nickerson	May L. Mason	East Rochester	Sawyer	Nova Scotia	Milton	29/28
30	Roches'r Esther W.	M	"	1	Edw'd T. Edgerly	Mary E. Scruton	Rochester	Shoe Trimmer	Rochester	Rochester	43/42
21	"	M	"	2	W. F. Hersom	Mary T. Dearborn	"	Mason	Lebanon, Me.	"	34/26

# JUNE.

1	Roches'r Atjutor	M	L	1	W	Pierre Letourneau	W	Rochester	Shoemaker	Canada	24/22
2	E. Roch. Ernest S.	M	"	2	S. Brouillard	Delia Lachance	East Rochester	Laborer	"	"	21/20
6	Roches'r Horace P.	M	"	2	Ells'w' N. Cressey	Nora Pare	Rochester	Shoemaker	Springvale, Me.	Ireland	29/22
7	"	M	"	6	Napoleon St. John	Lizzie Manning	"	"	Holden, Mass.	Hudson, Mass.	27/26
8	"	F	"	2	Theodore Gagne	Marie Lacasse	"	"	Canada	Canada	33/33
8	"	F	"	1	Orrie B. York	Jennie O. Prescott	"	"	Acton, Me.	Northwood	29/20
9	"	M	"	3	W. O. Morrill	Victoria W. Berry	"	"	Windham, Me.	Rochester	26/24
11	"	M	"	8	Harry E. Hall	Emma M. Corson	"	"	Barrington	Dover	30/36
12	"	M	"	2	And. W. Thompson	Sarah E. Hunter	"	"	Manchester	Rochester	44/33
14	"	M	"	1	Jas. McCallister	Marie Ruel	"	"	Ireland	Ireland	31/29
14	Ovester Clem't M.	M	"	3	Fred Seavey	Emma E. Varney	"	"	Mass	Mass	21/22
15	Joseph E.	M	"	1	Willie E. Gray	Odel. Vaillancourt	"	"	Farmington	Farmington	36/33
15	George P.	M	"	2	Joseph Brochu	Andiana Turcotte	"	"	Canada	Canada	29/26
17	Marie Eva	M	"	2	Geo. Lawrence	Flora R. Smith	"	"	"	"	29/23
18	Joseph H.	M	"	3	Frank H. Boston	Nellie E. Chick	"	"	Barrington	Dover	30/38
18	E. Roch.	M	S	6	Almon J. Goodwin	Ida G. Hill	East Rochester	Mill Operative	Berwick, Me.	Londen	32/30
20	Roches'r Bertha M.	M	L	3	Leroy A. Winkley	Jennie S. Gray	Rochester	Shoe Operative	Straford	Barrington	31/25
21	"	F	"	3	M. A. Manion	Ida G. Hill	"	"	Barrington	N. U. Falls, Ms.	42/32
22	"	F	"	2	Stephen S. Jacobs	Viola Nute	"	"	Rochester	Bartlett	32/27
22	Isabel	F	"	8	Louis Grassee	Matilda Cormier	"	"	Italy	Bakersville, Vt.	40/32
23	Josephine	M	"	13	Doris Grenier	Florida Pouliott	"	"	Canada	Canada	46/43
24	"	M	"	2	F. E. Reynolds	Lou. H. Henderson	"	"	Lee	Cambridge, Ms.	24/24
25	Lawrence E.	M	"	2	Pierce E. Mullarly	Annie Doyle	"	"	R. R. Employee	St. John, N. B.	29/25
25	Louisa	M	"	2	Chas. Gagnon	Flora Richee	"	"	Brickmaker	Canada	23/32
24	Gonic	M	"	4	Frank A. Hull	Janette McIlroy	"	"	Shoemaker	Scotland	32/30
26	E. Roch.	M	"	6	Chas. A. Davis	Ida E. Jenkins	"	"	Confectioner	Kittery, Me.	45/38
26	Roches'r Dorothy	F	"	9	Frank B. Dame	Hannah E. Shaw	"	"	Laborer	Rochester	36/36
27	"	F	"	8	Joseph Denarro	Octavia	"	"	Brickmaker	Canada	41/42
30	"	F	"	2	Wm. H. Otis	Emma Greenfield	"	"	Farmer	Durham	30/30



# AUGUST.—Continued.

24	Roches'r	M	L	W	Michael Morin	Virginia Plourd	W	Gonic	Brickmaker	Canada	Canada	30 23
25	"	M	"	1	Edward Howard	Cora A. Howard		Rochester	Laborer	Rochester	Rochester	26 24
25	"	M	"	3	Joseph Aubert	Alvina Roy		"	Shoemaker	Canada	Canada	44 36
25	"	M	F	6	Baptiste Nadeau.	Delina Perreault		"	Clerk	Salmon Falls	Sanford	21 22
28	"	M	"	2	Frank Otis	Grace L. Day		"	Shoemaker	Rochester	Tamworth	39 25
31	"	M	F	1	Chas. W. Gerrish	Marion D. Ross		"	Farmer			

# SEPTEMBER.

1	Roches'r	F	L	2 w	Gilbert F. Shaw	Ida M. Bunker	W	Rochester	Provision	D'r	Stratford	24 24
9	E. Roch.	M	"	5	Jas. C. Pierce	Roy Wallingford		East Rochester	Laborer		Lebanon, Me.	27 25
12	Roches'r	M	"	1	U. S. G. Hiscock	Hattie R. Cavery		Rochester	Shoemaker		Brentwood	31 28
11	Gonic	M	"	3	Fred Boncher	Delvina Mabeux		Gonic	Laborer	Canada	"	24 24
15	Roches'r	M	"	8	Richard Gagne	Della Grenier		Rochester	Shoemaker		Rochester	30 29
16	"	M	"	2	James Holland	Mary A. Osborn		"	"	England	Canada	30 30
16	"	M	"	10	Geo. Gagne	Delina Lessard		"	Laborer	Canada	"	37 30
16	"	M	"	4	Archille Herbart	Lelise Gagne		"	"	"	"	33 25
17	"	M	"	1	David Finch	Sophia Rieple		"	Shoemaker	Ireland	Rochester	29 18
18	"	M	"	1	Jeremiah Bennett	Josephine Vickery		"	Farmer	Bartlett	"	28 35
20	"	M	"	5	Winfred A. Marsh	Emma Holmes		"	Hostler	Barnstead	Stratford	24 18
21	"	M	"	1	Otis Meader	Grace E. Drew		"	Clerk	Rochester	Loudon	30 30
21	"	M	"	3	Geo. W. Horne	Eliz'h B. Pillsbury		"	Shoemaker	Berwick Me.	Sanford, Me.	23 20
22	"	M	"	1	Arthur E. Hurd	Cora B. Gray		"	Am. Ex. Clerk	Rochester	Farmington	41 37
23	"	M	"	4	Evangelist Turnel	Adelina Bolduc		"	Laborer	Canada	"	25 24
27	"	M	"	4	Leslie E. Bean	Clara Carbe		"	Clergyman	"	"	30 32
28	E. Roch.	F	"	2	Patrick Nanell	Annie Ludten		"	Laborer	Ireland	Ireland	35 29
29	Roches'r	F	"	3	Jean Grenier	Marie Pare		"	Shoemaker	Canada	Canada	35 29
29	"	F	"	4				"				45 33

# OCTOBER.

5	Roches't	Aicde H.	M	F	L	2	W	Theodore Ferland	Claudias Boulet	W	Rochester	Laborer	Canada	Canada	32 23
8	"	Gladys L.	M	F	"	1	"	Walter Hyslop	Ina Horne	"	"	Mechanic	Rochester	Cambridge	25 20
19	"	Pierre A.	M	F	"	2	"	Pierre Labot	Adele Martin	"	"	Laborer	"	Bartlett	28 20
11	"	Kilda C.	M	F	"	2	"	Theodore Sylvain	Sara Larochelle	"	"	"	Canada	Canada	25 26
18	"	Mere	M	F	"	2	"	Clement Dubois	Dellina C	"	"	"	"	"	27 20
23	"	"	M	F	S	2	"	Fred W. Hodgdon	Ida May Grafton	"	"	Shoemaker	Springvale	Rochester	25 21
26	"	"	M	F	"	2	"	Chas. F. Masury	Lena E. Davis	"	"	Shoe Cutter	Beverly, Mass.	Acton, Me.	27 21
27	"	"	M	F	"	1	"	Wm. B. Plummer	Helen M. Brooks	"	"	Hostler	Milton	Shipton P. E. I.	39 35
29	"	Phoebe Juliet	M	F	"	1	"	Edward R. Evans	Grace B. Scruton	"	"	Farmer	Rochester	Strafford	20 19
								Frank Ward	Mary J. Jacques	"	"	Teamster	"	Rochester	27 26

# NOVEMBER.

3	Roches't	Beatrice A.	M	F	L	5	W	G. W. R. Mace	Fannie G. Rollins	W	Rochester	Watchman	Mr. Vernon, Me.	Rochester	45 39
5	"	Thomas B.	M	F	"	1	"	Wm. H. Farmer	Marg't Baxendale	"	"	Spinner	Lawrence, Mas	England	30 25
11	"	"	M	F	"	2	"	Jessie Glover	Sarah N. Brett	"	"	Shoemaker	Nottingham	Rochester	28 23
5	"	Joseph	M	F	"	7	"	Theophile Sylvain	Elise Larochelle	"	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada	40 37
9	"	Lydia	M	F	"	4	"	Thomas Ferland	Mary Marcoux	"	"	"	"	"	30 24
12	"	Exavia	M	F	"	15	"	Exavia Crotean	Daniols'le Lavertu	"	"	"	"	"	49 44
22	Roches't	"	M	F	"	5	"	Leopold LaRose	Clotilda Brochu	Gonic	Rochester	Carpenter	"	"	31 29
24	"	"	M	F	"	2	"	John I. Legro	Hattie R. Johnson	"	"	Retired	Rochester	Wakefield	57 22
26	"	"	M	F	"	5	"	Frank I. Richards	Lizzie O. Varney	"	"	Jeweller	Lebanon, Me.	Newmarket	38 35
28	"	"	M	F	"	2	"	Harry Osborn	Nellie A. Walker	"	"	Carpenter	Dover	Rochester	23 20
29	"	Edward LeRoy	M	F	S	6	"	Dennis Brannon	Kate McShane	Rochester	"	Clerk	Ireland	"	36 33

# DECEMBER.

7	Roches'r	Frederick S.	M	F	L	1	W	James N. Hall	Annie Johnson	W	Rochester	Laborer	Rochester	Scotland	35 24
7	"	Cecile	F	F	"	4	Wm. Sylvester	Mary Leenger	Mary Leenger	"	"	"	Lowell	Canada	30 32
9	"	Danase	M	F	"	7	Archille Sylvain	Parmelle Gantelle	Parmelle Gantelle	"	Gonic	Shoemaker	Canada	"	30 30
11	Gonic	Louise C.	M	F	"	1	Phillip Metivier	Sarah J. Cassidy	Sarah J. Cassidy	"	Rochester	Merchant	Ireland	New Durham	24 20
11	"		M	F	"	5	Frank Brannon	Fannie Barlin	Fannie Barlin	"	Gonic	Farmer	Barrington	Rochester	31 30
13	"	Herminegilele	M	F	S	1	Levi Rowe	Mary Duboise	Mary Duboise	"	Rochester	"	"	"	20 22
16	"	Emeline	M	F	L	6	Thomas Turnel	Mary Danaise	Mary Danaise	"	"	"	"	"	31 29
17	"	Marie L.	M	F	"	2	John Bernard	Odelle Letoneau	Odelle Letoneau	"	"	"	"	"	26 23
19	"	Albert	M	F	"	3	Jonachim Blanchet	Elmore Gagne	Elmore Gagne	"	"	"	"	"	31 23
21	"		M	F	"	4	Simeon Ferreault	Mabel Robie	Mabel Robie	"	"	Mgr. Telephone	Pittsfield	Bristol	29 27
23	"		M	F	"	1	Wm. S. Lougee	Marie Gellinas	Marie Gellinas	"	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada	26 27
25	"	Gaspard N.	M	F	"	1	Joseph Boudet	Belsire Fortier	Belsire Fortier	"	"	Shoemaker	"	Rochester	26 20
28	"	Chas. Gideon	M	F	"	1	Fortunal Roy	Rose Nadeau	Rose Nadeau	"	"	"	"	Canada	22 17
28	"	Alphie	M	F	"	1	Ernest Labbe	Nellie Blazo	Nellie Blazo	"	"	Hotel Keeper	Rochester	Rochester	23 33
						7	Geo E. Hayes								29 27



# MARRIAGES



# MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE CITY OF ROCHESTER FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1900.

## JANUARY.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in Years	Color of Each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of Each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	* Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by whom Married..
4	Rochester	Wm. S. Hunter Mary L. Glidden	El Reno, Ok. Rochester	36 28	w	Ct'k U.S.Ct. Teacher	Elburn, Ill. Rochester	W. R. S. Hunter Enos L. Glidden	St. Albans, Vt. Deceased	Lawyer	2	Rev. W. S. Randall, Rochester
17	"	Roy Preston Higgins Nellie I. Maddox	W. Bux't'n, Me. Hollis, Me.	22 18		Laborer At Home	Buxton, Me. Hollis, Me.	Chas. E. Higgins Edwin F. Maddox	" Hollis, Me.	Undertaker	1	Chas. W. Brown, J. P., Rochester
18	"	William Keir Grace M. Bickford	Rochester "	30 23		F'n Shoe F. Teacher	Scotland Rochester	John B. Keir Ira L. Bickford	Scotland Rochester	Shoemaker Farmer	1	Rev. John Manter, Rochester
27	"	J. Frank Wentworth Stella Browning	" "	31 32		Clerk At Home	Dover Marib'o, Ms.	A. P. Wentworth Edw. L. Browning	Alton Bellast, Me.	Carpenter	2	Rev. John Manter, Rochester

## FEBRUARY.

12	Rochester	John Geddis Attie Jordan	Rochester "	22 18	w	Shoemaker At Home	Ireland N. Brun., Me.	James Geddis Jordan	Ireland Deceased	Shoemaker	1	Rev. W. S. Randall, Rochester
16	"	Rensford Foster Nellie Babb	Westbrook "	22 23		Farmer At Home	Westbrook England	Jas. C. Foster M. J. Babb	N. Brun'k., Me. Westbr'k., Me.	Farmer Mill Oper.	1	Rev. W. S. Randall, Rochester
17	"	Wm. J. Moys Theresa McCluskey	Portland, Me. "	31 23		Mariner At Home	England Scotland	Henry Moys Thos. McCluskey	Westbr'k., Me. Scotland	Carpenter Mariner	1	Rev. G. W. Farmer, Rochester
28	"	David Finch Sophia Kieple	Rochester "	28 18		Shoemaker At Home	Ireland Rochester	James Finch Deceased	Scotland Ireland	Mill Oper.	1	Rev. W. S. Randall, Rochester

# MARCH.

4	Rochester	Louis Lamotte Georgina Cormier Jas. E. Brierly Ella Coffin U. S. G. Hiscock Harriet K. Caverly Arthur Gallant Mary Delvare Edgar Fadden Charlotte E. Bennett Ernest A. Haigh Emma Foster John F. Strout Nora Littlefield	Rochester " " " Brentwood Springv'e, Me. " " Waterb'o, Me. Shapleigh, Me. Sanford, Me. " " "	37 w Barber 20 Shoe Oper. 41 Shoemaker 42 Dressmaker 31 Shoemaker 28 Cartoon m'r 21 Engineer 19 Mill Oper. 20 Shoemaker 23 At Home 23 Wool Sorter 23 Housek'p'r 24 Mill Oper. 39 Housek'p'r	Canada Rochester Milton " Abbott, Me. Brentwood Springvale Br'ky'e, Ms. N. London Frank Fadden Chas. Bennett Geo. Haigh Potst'n, Pa. Abram Gumpert Lin'gh'n, Me. John Strout Sanford, Me. Joseph Coffin	Anbroise Lamotte Joseph Cormier Wm. Brierly Geo. Hurd J. F. Hiscock Caverly Joseph Gallant Peter Delvare Frank Fadden Chas. Bennett Geo. Haigh Abram Gumpert John Strout Joseph Coffin	Canada " Deceased Wilton, Me. P. E. Island Nova Scotia Deceased England Phila., Pa. Deceased "	Farmer Currier Farmer Deceased Physician Engineer Laborer Real Es. Ag. Retired Comber Farmer Rochester	2 1 2 3 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 2 1 2 2	Rev. C. J. Paradis, Rochester Rev. F. W. Shattuck, Rochester Rev. W. S. Randall, Rochester Rev. W. S. Randall, Rochester Rev. W. S. Randall, Rochester Chas. W. Brown, J. P., Rochester Rev. G. W. Farmer, Rochester
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# APRIL.

10	E. Rochester	Henry A. Tebbetts Florence Betts Fred Farland Eva Lamontaign Wm. H. Farmer Maggie Baxendale W. M. Damon Winnie Sanborn J. Bailey Osgood Eflie M. Doughty Harry E. Bickford Gertrude E. Calef	Lebanon, Me. " Rochester Sanbornville E. Rochester " Lancaster Barton, Vt. Hope Is., Me. Cheb'que, Me. Rochester Farmingt'n	21 w Farmer 21 Housek'p'r 30 Shoe Oper. 19 At Home 30 Spinner 30 Mill Oper. 24 Quarryman 34 Housework 29 Fisherman 19 Housek'p'r 23 Carpenter 17 At Home	Berw'k, Me. Leban'n, Me. Canada Law'r'e, Ms. England Lancaster Lisbun, Vt. L. Chep, Me. Cheb'q', Me. Rochester Farmingt'n	Jas. A. Tebbetts Alvah Betts Louis Farland Joseph Lemontaign Thos. Farmer Rob't Baxendale David Damon Henry Kenniston J. B. Osgood Everett F. Doughty Daniel C. Bickford Everett L. Calef	Boston, Mass. New York Deceased Canada England " Deceased Fryeburg, Me. Chebeague Rochester Deceased	Farmer " R. R. Emp. Machinist Spinner Farmer Fisherman " Sawyer	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 2 1 1 1 1	Rev. V. E. Bragdon, Rochester Rev. J. Melancon, Rochester Rev. John Mantor, Rochester Chas. W. Brown, J. P., Rochester Rev. G. W. Farmer, Rochester Rev. F. W. Shattuck, Rochester
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# MAY.

1	Rochester	Geo. E. B. Smart	Rochester	28	w	Brakeman	Ipswich, Ms.	W. H. H. Burnham	Deceased		Rev. John Manter,
1	"	Adelaid F. Ricker	"	24		Shoe Stitch	Leba'n, Me.	Winslow Ricker	"	Shoemaker	Rochester
3	"	Jas. Stacey Tripp	"	22		Bank Clerk	San'rd, Me.	Jas. L. Tripp	Sanford	Mill Oper.	Rev. W. S. Randall,
3		Rachel McComb	"	20		Rook Ke'p'r	Ireland	Samuel McDomb	Ireland		Rochester
3		J. Herbert Barker	Millis, Mass.	26		Milk Bus's	E.B's't'n, Ms.	Herbert N. Barker	Deceased	Farmer	Rev. Nels'n B. Jones,
3	Wakefield	Isabel Watson	Rochester	23		At Home	Rochester	John E. F. Watson	Rochester		Boston, Mass.
7		Hattie E. Hamilton	"	41		Restaurant	Epping	Geo. Johnson	Deceased		Rev. Geo. A. Foss,
7	Rochester	Alphonse A. Marquis	"	27		At Home	Sp'g'v'le, Me.	Octavius Hamilton,	"	Carpenter	Wakefield
19		Dina Brochu	Haverhill, Ms.	26		Shoemaker	Canada	Leander Marquis	"	Farmer	Rev. C. J. Paradis,
19	Stratford	E. Roscoe Evans	Rochester	23		Boxmaker	Rochester	Leander Brochu	Canada		Rochester
20		Grace B. Scruton	"	19		Farmer	"	Edward E. Evans	Rochester	Shoemaker	Rev. N. C. Lothrop,
20	Rochester	H. M. Plourd	Stratford	19		At Home	Rochester	Albion S. Scruton	Stratford		Stratford
23	"	Desange Rioux	Lawrence, Ms.	29		Spinner	Canada	Michael Plourd	Deceased		Rev. J. Melancon,
23		Wesley Page	Rochester	20		Weaver	"	Frederic Rioux	"	Laborer	Rochester
23		Flora A. Stevens	"	22		Laborer	Rochester	J. A. Page	"	Painter	D'y B. Waldron, J. P.,
23	Somersw'h	Albanno M. White	Lebanon, Me.	22		At Home	K'n'b'k't, Me.	Wm. Stevens	E. Rochester	Farmer	Rochester
24		Hattie B. Grant	Acton, Me.	19		Teacher	Leba'n, Me.	Martin V. B. White	Acton, Me.	"	Rev. D. B. Martin,
24	Manchester	Geo. M. Garland	"	27		Shoemaker	Alton	Geo. W. Grant	Alton	"	Somersworth
29		Annie F. Swasey	Rochester	29		Housek'per	Somersw'h	J. P. Swasey	Milton	Tailor	Rev. Thos. Chalmers,
29	Rochester	Noah Warburton	"	29		Stitcher	Rochester	E. H. Warburton	England	Shoemaker	Manchester
		Mabel E. Pateford	"	26		Teacher	Taunt'n, Ms.	Albert Pateford	Deceased		Rev. W. S. Randall,
											Rochester

# JUNE.

2	Rochester	John F. Foster	Westbr'k, Me.	23	w	Electrician	N. Brunswick	Jas. A. Foster	N. Brunswick	Farmer	Rev. John Manter,
4	"	Sarah A. Griffith	"	21		Mill Oper.	England	Wm. Griffith	England	Dyer	Rochester
4		Edw. H. Robinson	"	27		Carpenter	Cam'b'e, Ms.	Rob't H. Robinson	Millbr'ge, Ms.	Carpenter	Chas. W. Brown J. P.,
8	Farmington	Mamie Strain	"	19		Housework	Scotland	James Strain	Deceased		Rochester
8		Walter B. Howard	Rochester	26		Shoemaker	Rochester	Walter S. Howard	Rochester	Cook	Rev. C. E. Sinclair
9		Edith V. Roberts	"	22		At Home	"	Henry K. Roberts	"	Farmer	Farmington
9	Rochester	Jeremiah Bennett	"	28		Laborer	"	Frank Bennett	Deceased		Chas. W. Brown, J. P.,
10		Josephine Grames	"	35		Housework	Boston	John Vickery	"		Rochester
10	"	Edgar J. Ham	"	30		Farmer	Rochester	J. W. Ham	"		Rev. J. Lewis Evans,
14		Martha A. Roberts	"	35		Book Ke'p'r	"	Levi F. Roberts	"		Marselles, Ill.
14	"	Benj. F. Thompson	Sanford, Me.	27		Painter	Fryeb'g, Me.	Eli F. Thompson	Eaton	Carpenter	Rev. John Manter,
		Bertha M. Fall	Lebanon, Me.	21		Shoe Oper.	Leba'n, Me.	Chas. Fall	Lebanon, Me.	Farmer	Rochester

# JUNE.—Continued.

18	Rochester	John Mylott	Provid'e, R. I.	25 w	Mason	Dan'y, Vt.	John Mylott	Ireland	Marble W'r	1	Rev. C. J. Paradis, Rochester
20	"	John Mylott	Rochester	21	Shoe Oper.	Ireland	Deceased	Ireland	Weaver	1	Rev. W. S. Randall, Rochester
30	"	Joseph McClelland	"	30	Shoemaker	Wind'n, Me.	Wind'n, Me.	Rochester	Farmer	1	Rev. F. W. Shattuck, Rochester
30	"	Bessie Malone	"	24	Shoe Oper.	Rochester	Chas. Bickford	Deceased	"	1	Rev. F. W. Shattuck, Rochester
		Ernest M. Morrill	"	24	Farmer	Wind'n, Me.	Joseph White	Rochester	Farmer	1	Rev. F. W. Shattuck, Rochester
		Florence E. Bickford	"	18	Housework	Lowell, Ms.	Frank Drew	Deceased		2	
		Victor E. White	Lebanon, Me.	20	Mill Oper.	Leban'n, Me.					
		Effie M. Downs	"	21	Housework						

# JULY.

2	Rochester	Geo. A. Robinson	Portsmouth	27 w	Shoemaker	Nova Scotia	Wm. E. Robinson	1	Rev. John Manter, Rochester
4	"	Jennie A. Willey	Rochester	22	At Home	Rochester	Geo. W. Willey	1	Rev. H. E. Wilson, Rochester
4	"	Geo. D. Hadden	Provid'e, R. I.	33	Spinner	Prov't, R. I.	Jas. Doherty	1	Rev. W. S. Randall, Rochester
		Madge J. Doherty	E. Rochester	24	Mill Oper.	Law're, Ms.	Henry Stewart	1	Rev. W. S. Randall, Rochester
		John Stewart	Somersworth	33	Laborer	Ireland	Patrick Connell	1	Rev. W. S. Randall, Rochester
		Sarah Connell	Rochester	32	Shoe Oper.	"	Albert S. Stackpole	1	Rev. W. S. Randall, Rochester
10	"	Arthur Stackpole	Lebanon, Me.	23	Painter	Leba'n, Me.	James F. Daney	1	
		Bertha E. Daney	"	18	At Home	"			

# AUGUST.

18	Milton	Andrew F. Hooper	Rochester	30 w	R. R. Emp'e	Leba'n, Me.	Samuel Hooper	1	Rev. C. B. Osborn, Milton
21	Rochester	Emma Hurd	Bangor, Me.	26	At Home	Rochester	Frank H. Hurd	1	W. T. Gunnison, J. P., Rochester
22	"	Geo. D. Hadden	"	25	College	Col. F's, Me.	Geo. N. Hadden	1	Sam'l D. Felker, J. P., Rochester
26	"	Alice L. Wiggins	Springv'e, Me.	27	Laborer	Dover	Mark Wiggins	1	Rev. C. J. Paradis, Rochester
25	"	John Brown	Rochester	36	Housewife	Derry	Edward Brown	1	Rev. C. J. Paradis, Rochester
30	"	Minnie Dupras	"	22	Shoemaker	Canada	Napoleon Roy	1	Rev. C. J. Paradis, Rochester
31	Strafford	Fortune Roy	Rochester	18	Shoe Oper.	Rochester	Peter Fortier	1	Rev. W. H. Walbridge, Rochester
		Delzere Fortier	"	47	Carpenter	Canada	Edward Vourdney	2	Rev. S. D. Church, Strafford
		John D. Boisvert	"	38	Houseke'p'r	Newmarket	John W. Shepard	1	
		Celina Breton	Strafford	24	Ship'g Clerk	Lynn, Mass.	Benj. T. Richards	1	
		John H. Shepard	Rochester	22	Housework	"	Alphonzo Henderson	1	
		Isabel M. Richards	Sanford, Me.	22	Laborer	Shapl'n, Me.	Daniel Wentworth	1	
		Arthur A. Henders'n	Springv'e, Me.	23	At Home	"			
		Bessie M. Wentworth	"	23					



# SEPTEMBER.

4	Rochester	Frank J. Doherty Dora A. Wallingford Fred Lemaire Addie Head Levi H. Rowe Fanny Barlin Alphonse Martelle Clarisse Gouin John M. McCrillis Florence E. Sinclair Chas. W. Ayer Edith M. Owen John E. Stevens Phebe M. Briggs T. J. Douglass C. J. Brown Eugene F. Hall Emma Authier David C. Johnson Adelaine DeFrain	27 w 29 22 15 19 21 24 22 23 20 23 21 45 50 51 19 29 20 36 25	Rochester Lebanon, Me. " Barrington Rochester " " " Deering, Me. Raymond Exeter Springv'e, Me. Dover Rochester Waterb'o, Me. Canada	27 w 29 22 15 19 21 24 22 23 20 23 21 45 50 51 19 29 20 36 25	Spinner Drawer In Clerk Mill Oper. Laborer Housework Laborer Houseke'p'r Mill Oper. Clerk Printer Houseke'p'r Farmer Houseke'p'r Blacksmith Houseke'p'r Clerk Housework Mechanic Mill Oper.	Lowell Ms. Bery'k, Me. Wm. Lemaire Lewis't, Me. Rochester Canada Rochester " Rochester Portland Raymond Bri'g't'n, Me. Boston, Ms. Dover O. Orc'd, Me Wat'b'o, Me. Canada	Jas. J. Doherty Eben Wallingford Wm. Lemaire Frank Head John Rowe Henry Arlin Joe Martelle Geo. Gouin Joel S. McCrillis Silas T. Sinclair John Ayer Geo. Owen John W. Stevens Josiah Briggs Daniel Douglass Cyrille Barton Peter Hall Arthur Authier Henry Johnson Exania De Frain	Deceased Berwick, Me. Canada Deceased " Canada E. Rochester Lisp'n F's, Me. Deceased Raymond Deceased " Canada Deceased " Canada	Retired Blacksmith Painter Sawyer Laborer Carpenter Retired Postmaster Clerk Retired Retired Laborer Farmer	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 2 2 1 1 3 1	Rev. V. E. Bragton, Rochester Rev. G. W. Farmer, Rochester Rev. John Manter, Rochester Rev. C. J. Paradis, Rochester Rev. S. C. Keeler, E. Rochester Rev. John Manter, Rochester Rev. G. W. Farmer, Rochester Chas. W. Brown, J. P., Rochester Rev. G. B. Merritt, Somersworth Rev. W. S. Randall, Rochester
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# OCTOBER.

9	Rochester	Wm. Scott Simonds Josephine Dame Chas. Labonte Delvina Gagne John Levi Meader Lela Ann Malvern Allen H. Cobb Nellie Lochhead H. Ste'dm'n Williams Edith M. Tuttle Haven T. Nutter Jennie M. Gardner Edward P. Foley Mary A. Reynolds	23 w 23 42 39 22 19 24 30 22 21 52 16 24 25	Everett, Mas. Rochester " Gonic Chicago, Ill. S. Port'd, Me. Lewis't'n, Me London, Eng. Rochester Massachusetts Rochester "	23 w 23 42 39 22 19 24 30 22 21 52 16 24 25	Machinist Composer R. R. Emp. Houseke'p'r Manufacturer At Home Gas Mfr. Stenography Dentistry At Home Painter Brakeman Houseke'p'r	Everett Ms. Rochester Canada Gonic Greeley, Ia. S. Port'd, Me. West Troy N. Vas'l, Me. Dover Claremont Gor'h'm, Me. Rochester	Wm. H. Simonds Chas. W. Dame Chas. Labonte Louis Gagne John E. Meader Jas. L. Malvern Daniel B. Cobb Jas. Lochhead Jas. L. Williams Stephen Tuttle Alphonzo J. Nutter J. H. Gardner Patrick Foley James Riley	Boston " " Rochester Greeley, Iowa Portland Scotland Soton, Me. Dover " Ireland Deceased	Baker Farmer Manufact'r Salesman Fisherman Overseer Dentist Florist Section H'd	1 1 1 2 1 1 1 1 1 2 1 1 1 1	Rev. G. W. Farmer, Rochester Rev. C. J. Paradis, Rochester Rev. Geo. E. Hall Dover Rev. John Manter, Rochester Rev. E. E. Gilkey, Dover D'y B. Waldron, J. P., Rochester Rev. J. J. Bradley, Rochester
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# OCTOBER.—Continued.

27	Rochester	Chas. H. Boston	Rochester	34 w	Painter	Barrington	Stephen A. Boston	Barrington	Farmer	2	Rev. John Manter,
29	"	Elizabeth Myers	"	22	Housewife	Ireland	Francis Myers	Ireland	Laborer	1	Rochester
29	"	Honore Girard	"	27	Clerk	Canada	Cleophas Girard	Canada	Engine D'r	1	Rev. C. J. Paradis,
29	"	Victoria Richards	"	23	Shoe Oper.	"	Augustene Richards	"	Carpenter	1	Rochester
29	"	Joe Bergeron	Gonic	26	Engineer	"	Joe Bergeron	"	Farmer	1	Rev. J. Melancon,
29	"	Ovare Plourde	"	19	Mill Oper.	"	Henry Plourde	"	Mill Oper.	1	Rochester
29	"	Eugene Feltre	"	29	Brickmaker	"	Fardine Feltre	"	Farmer	1	Rev. J. Melancon,
		Leoren D. Stone	"	25	Mill Oper.	Somersw'th	Pierre D. Stone	"	Brickmaker	1	Rochester

# NOVEMBER

3	Farmington	Henry A. Bliss	Ayer, Mass.	30 w	R. R. Eng'r	Slat'sv' R. L.	Henry H. Bliss	Ayer, Mass.	Farmer	1	Rev. C. E. Sinclair,
3	Rochester	Susie A. Colby	Rochester	28	At Home	Rochester	Stephen Colby	Deceased	Shoemaker	1	Rochester
5	"	Mabel Cram	Sanford, Me.	22	Shoe Oper.	Sanford, Me.	Joseph Houston	Sanford, Me.	Shoemaker	1	Rev. G. W. Farmer,
5	"	Felix Sanfacon	Rochester	18	At Home	Canada	Walter Cram	Deceased	Farmer	1	Rochester
5	Gonic	Flora Perreault	"	17	Shoe Oper.	Rochester	Felix Sanfacon	Canada	Shoe Oper.	1	Rev. C. J. Paradis,
14	Rochester	Thomas Pitcher	Gonic	27	Boxmaker	Canada	Frank Perreault	"	R. R. Emp'e	1	Rochester
18	"	Mary Paugult	"	23	Laborer	St. Joh'y, Vt.	Thos. Pitcher	"	Farmer	1	Rev. J. Melancon
18	"	Geo. C. Lyle	Law'nce, Ms.	47	Operative	Br'k'n, N.Y.	Joseph Amond	Deceased	"	2	Rochester
24	"	Mattie M. Chesley	Rochester	48	Cook	Rochester	Wm. C. Lyle	"	"	2	Rev. F. W. Shattuck,
24	"	Chas. H. Morrill	Dover	35	Carpenter	Wind'm, Me.	Geo. C. Watson	"	Farmer	2	Rochester
24	"	Frances Jenkins	Rochester	26	Housek'p'r	Plym'th, Ms.	Rob't King	Wind'h'm, Me.	Seaman	2	Rev. C. B. Osborn,
24	"	Edwin S. Dodge	"	27	Carpenter	New Dur'm	Frank S. Dodge	Plym'th, Ms.	Farmer	2	Rochester
28	"	Bertua Garland	"	23	Housek'p'r	Rochester	Chas. Garland	Alton	"	2	Rev. John Manter,
28	"	Edward Lessard	"	62	Laborer	Canada	Pierre Lessard	Canada	Retired	2	Rochester
28	"	Cristene Pare	"	35	Saloon K'p'r	"	Frances Pare	Deceased	"	2	Rev. C. J. Paradis,
28	"	Edwin F. Dame	"	39	Shoemaker	Rochester	Chas. H. Dame	Farmington	Shoemaker	2	Rochester
28	"	Emeline M. Williams	"	19	Housek'p'r	Blachert'o'n	John Rolf	Germany	Mechanic	2	Chas. W. Brown J. D.,
28	"	Fred A. Corriveau	"	27	Shoe Oper.	Canada	Albert Corriveau	Deceased	"	1	Rochester
28	"	Alice Britton	"	28	Barber	New York	Joseph H. Lecuyer	"	Farmer	2	Rev. C. J. Paradis,
28	"	Joseph A. Paquette	"	25	At Home	Monson, Me.	J. T. Paquette	Canada	"	1	Rochester
29	"	Ada M. Hussey	Lowell, Mass.	30	Shoe Man'f'r	Rochester	Benj. Hussey	Deceased	Farmer	1	Rev. F. W. Shattuck,
29	"	Frederk Warburton	Rochester	35	Shoe Oper.	N. Ada's, Ms.	Matthew Warburton	England	Mill Oper.	2	Rev. G. W. Farmer,
29	"	Margt E. Blanchard	Boston, Mass.	32	Weaver	England	Geo. Blanchard	"	Mill Oper.	2	Rochester
29	"	John Wm. Field	Sanford, Me.	21	Mill Oper.	"	John Fields	"	Pin Setter	1	Rev. G. W. Farmer,
		Annie Briggs	"	18			Thos. Briggs			1	Rochester

# DECEMBER.

10	Rochester	Fred N. Whitney	Spring's Me.	39 w	Laborer	Casco, Me.	Ephraim Whitney	Deceased		1	Rev. John Manter,
22	"	Winifred Smith	Dorches'r, Ms.	29	Clerk	Natick, Ms.	Smith	"		1	Rochester
23	"	Fred J. Young	Rochester	33	Shoemaker	Lebanon, Me.	Chas. H. Young	Lebanon, Me.		2	Rev. John Manter,
22	"	Lucy J. Pike	"	22	Houseke'p'r	Rochester	Chas. E. Pike	Chelsea, Mas.		1	Rochester
24	"	Elliott Philbrook	"	25	Teamster	Sanbornton	Ephraim Philbrook	Deceased		1	Rev. John Manter,
25	"	Josie Dodge	"	20	Shoe Oper.	Rochester	Frank Dodge	Pembroke		1	Rochester
26	"	Gilman S. Perkins	Sanford, Me.	31	Motorman	Sanford, Me.	Jas. E. Perkins	Sanford, Me.		1	Rev. John Manter,
27	"	Mattie A. Thompson	"	29	At Home	"	Geo. Thompson	"		1	Rochester
28	"	Ray V. Perkins	"	18	Mill Oper.	"	Eugene Perkins	"		1	Rochester
29	"	Jessie Ashworth	"	17	"	England	Moses Ashworth	England		1	Rev. John Manter,
30	Dover	Geo. A. Elliott	E. Rochester	34	Mill Overs'r	Scotland	Stephen Elliott	Deceased		2	Rochester
31	"	Frances E. Bibber	"	35	Book K'p'r	Harps'l, Me.	Lemuel Bibber	Freeport, Me.		1	Rev. E. P. Churchill,
32	Rochester	Lester E. Garland	Rochester	25	Shoemaker	Alton	Eli Garland	Deceased		1	Dover
33	"	Hattie E. Estes	"	18	Housework	Wolboro	James Estes	Wolboro		1	Rev. F. W. Shattuck,
34	"	Everett Andrews	"	26	Farmer	Rochester	Chas. H. Andrews	Deceased		1	Rochester
35	Somersw'th	Edith M. Roberts	"	24	Typesetter	Somersw'th	Albert Roberts	Rochester		1	Rev. Henry Hyde,
36	"	John E. Merrill	"	23	Teamster	Pittsfield	Hollis R. Merrill	N. Berw'k, Me.		1	Somersworth
37	Rochester	Rosa L. Lafranch	Saco, Me.	19	Houseke'p'r	Saco, Me.	Jos. L. French	Deceased		1	D'y B. Waldron, j. p.,
38	"	Harry H. Johnson	Sanford, Me.	25	La'ndrym'n	Sanford, Me.	Jas. C. Johnson	Saco		1	Rochester
39	"	Mary Etta Hayes	Rochester	27	Canyasser	Rochester	J. W. Hayes	Sanford, Me.		2	Rev. G. W. Farmer,
40	"	Frank R. Welch	Sanford, Me.	30	Clerk	Wayne, Me.	Oliver W. Welch	Deceased		2	Rochester
41	"	Daisy Gumpert	"	21	At Home	Pottst'n, Pa.	Aaron Gumpert	Canaan, Me.		1	Rev. G. W. Farmer,
42	"	Thos. H. Roberts	Rochester	46	Engineer	Rochester	Wm. J. Roberts	Phila, Pa.		2	Rochester
43	"	Hattie Wilkinson	"	31	Book K'p'r	"	Isaiah N. Wilkinson	Deceased		2	Rev. F. W. Shattuck,
44	"	Darila Cartier	"	26	Laborer	Canada	Alex Cartier	Rochester		1	Rochester
45	"	Delmere Duquette	"	18	Weaver	"	Joseph Duquette	Canada		1	Rev. J. Melancon,
								"			Rochester

\*Whether single or widowed. What marriage—whether 1st, 2nd, etc.



# DEATHS



# DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE CITY OF ROCHESTER FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1900.

## JANUARY.

Date of Death.	Place of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.		Occupation.	Color.	Single, Married or Widowed.	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Disease, or Cause of Death.
			Years.	Months.	Days.	Birth.	Sex.				Father.	Mother.			
1	E. Roch.	Mary Alice Willett	71	3	5	N. L'n, Me.	F	S	W		Canada	Mal'e, N. Y.	Joseph Willett	Minnie Lafare	Pneumonia
2	Roches'r	Mary R. Pattee	49	6	13	Hollis, Me.	"	W	"		Hollis, Me.	Unknown	Kendall Hardy	Elizabeth Bush	La Grippe
7	"	Lizzie B. Perkins	64	2	7	Ireland	M	"	"		Ireland	Leb'n, Me.	A'n H. Hanscom	Susan Woodman	Pul. Consumption
9	"	Patrick Collins	32	1	9	Barri'g't'n	"	"	"		Barri'g't'n	Barri'g't'n	Law'nice Collins	Mary Donnelly	Heart Disease
10	"	Wm. S. Ayers	84	1	9	Rochester	"	"	"		Rochester	Portsm'th	Joseph Ayers	Sarah A. Drew	Spinal Meningitis
11	"	James Jackson	64	4	2	Sh'p'h, Me.	F	"	"		Sh'p'h, Me.	Sh'p'h, Me.	Stephen Jackson	Betsey Haines	Valv'a Disease of Heart
12	"	Abby M. Cross	56	10	24	Rochester	"	"	"		Leb'n, Me.	Alton	Sam'l Roberts	Hannah Hardy	Pneumonia
13	"	Aroline M. Russell	38	11	11	"	M	"	"		Rochester	Madbury	Nath'l S. Shorey	Rosanna Ellis	Septicemia
17	"	Frank E. Parsons	72	3	10	Wolfeboro	F	W	W		Rochester	Wolfeboro	B. Ford Parsons	Sophia Young	Valv'a Disease of Heart
19	"	Sally B. Furbush	45	11	14	Leb'n, Me.	"	W	"		Leb'n, Me.	Leb'n, Me.	Thos. Chase	Nancy Thurston	Pneumonia
21	"	Mary A. Ayers	81	9	17	Barri'g't'n	"	W	"		Woodst'k	Rochester	Alfred Locke	Dorcas Stanley	Spinal Meningitis
26	"	John R. Smith	21	7	4	Rochester	M	"	"		"	"	Chas. Smith	Mary C. Seavey	Labor Pulmonias
29	Gonic	Jere. E. Richards'n	71	4	29	N. B. F.	M	S	"		S. J's, N. B.	Moul'n'b'o	L's M. Richards'n	Lillian M. Rust	Burned in His House
29	"	Jane L. Elson	60	2	7	Mid., N. B. F.	F	"	"		S. J's, N. B.	S. J's, N. B.	Henry J. Steeves	Alice Currier	Killed by Accident
31	Roches'r	Jethro Otis	20	2	7	Rochester	M	"	"		Thornton	Rochester	L. H. Otis	"	Rheumatic Fever
31	"	Edmond Jacques	45	5	5	"	"	"	"		Thornton	Rochester	B. W. Sargent	M'y S. Farringt'n	Influenza (La Grippe)
11	N. York	Frank F. Sargent	45	5	5	"	"	"	"		Thornton	Rochester	B. W. Sargent	M'y S. Farringt'n	Debility Suicide

## FEBRUARY.

Roches'r	Leo A. Cartier	1	Rochester	M	W	S	Housewife	Canada	Canada	Louis Cartier	Minnie Couure	Croup
2	Edna B. Hersom	9	"	F	"	M	Housewife	Leb'n, Me.	Milton	Marvin Hersom	Mary A. Bragdon	Consumption
6	Ellen Varney	26	Bost'n, Ms.	F	"	M	Farmer	Gor'm. Me.	Stan'h. Me.	Daniel Berry	Celia Rogers	Pneumonia
6	W. H. Berry	87	Com'h, Me.	F	"	W	Retired	Strafford	"	Eben Hanson	Rebecca Pride	Peritonitis
9	Nancy H. Hodgdon	74	"	F	"	W	Tailoress	Canada	Canada	Elijah Brock	Uracmia	"
9	Mary F. Calet	58	Farm'g'n	M	"	S	"	Alton	"	Thos. Turnel	Lucia H. Berry	Locomotor Ataxia
13	Jos'h T. O. Turnel	63	Rochester	M	"	S	"	Henniker	"	Wm. A. Newbury	Elodis Dubois	Debility
13	Wm. F. McDuffee	43	Strafford	F	"	W	Housewife	Wakefield	Strafford	Jacob B. Smith	Lucinda Fleury	Whooping Cough
14	Mary E. McDuffee	48	"	F	"	W	"	Rochester	"	Wm. A. Parshley	Mary A. Parshley	Meinigitis
15	Martha A. Thomas	64	Alton	M	"	S	Student	Rochester	Rochester	Nath'l Bradley	Jennie Howard	Pneumonia
15	Walter Meader	12	Goio	M	"	S	"	Ber'k. Me.	Ber'k. Me.	John E. Meader	Clara E. Vaney	Pneumonia
16	Charles W. Hartford	28	E. Roch'r	F	"	M	Housewife	Sanf'd, Me.	Sanf'd, Me.	L. K. Monilton	Anna B. Goodrich	Diphtheria
16	John B. Plummer	40	Canada	M	"	M	"	Canada	Canada	Peter B. Morrow	Almira Haywood	Pneumonia
19	Hattie R. Plummer	74	Rochester	F	"	M	"	Rochester	Rochester	Isaac Bickford	Maud Talbot	Senility
19	Ira L. Bickford	85	Canada	M	"	M	"	Rochester	Rochester	Nicholas Roberts	Ja Grappe	"
20	Mary A. Furlong	75	Augs', Me.	F	"	M	Housewife	No. Ber'k	No. Ber'k	Elizabeth Jones	Dorothy Hurd	Consumption
22	Geo. W. Jones	62	N. Ber., Me.	M	"	W	Teamster	Milton	Milton	Wm. Foss	Mary Leighton	Pneumonia
23	Warren F. Foss	66	Farm'g'n	M	"	W	"	Rochester	Nor'y, Me	J. G. Coffin	Gr'ce M. Crockett	R. R. Accident
23	Scott C. Coffin	25	Rochester	"	"	S	Retired	"	"	Thos. Roberts	Mehitable Jones	Peritonitis
27	Wm. J. Roberts	88	"	"	"	S	"	"	"	"	Rehlabile Jones	Pulmonary Odema

## MARCH.

1	Roches'r	Nellie J. Howard	29	319	Barri'g't'n	F	W	M	Housewife	Strafford	Barri'g't'n	Joel W. Foss	Jane Gray	Pneumonia
1	E. Roch.	James Walker	62	617	Fr'b'g, Me	M		"	Merchant	Fr'b'g, Me.	Fr'b'g, Me.	Samuel Walker	Nancy Stevens	Pneumonia
5	Roches'r	Chas. F. Hayes	69	426	Rochester	"		M	Farmer	Milton	Leb'n, Me.	Geo. Hayes	Lydia Jones	Consumption
6	"	James F. Foss	51	8	"				"	Barri'g't'n	Rochester	Andrew W. Foss	Abigail Place	Nephritis Chronic
7	"	James H. Halpin	37	8	Concord	F	F	S	Shoe Cutler	Ireland	Ireland	Patrick Halpin	Hannah Kebo	Pneumonia
8	"	Rose B. Cartier	1	3	Gonic	F	M	S	"	B'g'n, Me.	Canada	Louis Cartier	Henry Couture	Whooping Cough
14	"	George F. Hussey	72	715	Rochester	F	M	"	Retired	Canada	Kenneb'k	Paul Hussey	Mary Webster	Apoplexy
14	"	Celina Morrow	72	1	Canada	F	M	"	"	Canada	N. Durh'm	Jacob Currier	Josette Leblanc	Pneumonia
15	"	Chas. G. Durgin	63	112	N. Durh'm	M	M	M	Landlord	Rochester	Rochester	Eben Durgin	Susan Durgin	Chronic Nephritis
17	"	Sarah E. Wallace	72	215	Rochester	F	M	W	Retired	Leb'n, Me.	Levi Estes	John Greenfield	Ph'be Wentworth	Fatty Degener' of Heart
18	"	Albert M. Estes	55	4	Leb'n, Me.	M		"	Carpenter	Rochester	Rochester	John F. Wentw'th	Betsy Brought	Infantion
23	"	Nellie F. Rogers	42	11	5 Rochester	F	M	"	Housewife	Berwick	Berwick	John Goodrich	Lydia S. Hayes	Bright's Dis.
28	"	John P. Goodrich	38	223	Ber'k, Me.	M		"	Currier	Dover	Milton	Fr'a'lin McDuffee	Nancy Randall	and Urania
25	"	John E. McDuffee	36	617	Rochester	M		S	Musician	"	"	"	Mary F. Hayes	Tuberculosis of Spine

# MARCH.—Continued.

26	Rochester	Frank J. Jackson	46	5	26	Rochester	M	W	D	Laborer	Lee	Farm'g'n	Asa Jackson	Sarah J. Pearl	Accidental
25	"	John Valley	65	6		Ireland	M	"	M	Retired	Ireland	Ireland	Thos. Valley	Eliza'h. Mulligan	La Grippe
27	"	(Infant) Young	67	3		Rochester	S	"	W	"	Rochester	Strafford	Fred Young	Addie Hall	Pneumonia Birth
29	"	Olive M. Rogers	70	9	27	"	F	"	"	Mill Oper.	Scotland	Rochester	Benj. Page	Huldy Hussey	Pneumonia
28	E. Roch.	Stephen Elliott	67	2	25	Scotland	M	"	M	"	Canada	Scotland	Geo. Elliott	Zoe E. Burk	Pul. Tuberculosis
29	Rochester	Fred C. M. Coit	19	1	11	Mer., Con.	S	"	S	"	Ind'ry Me.	Canada	Moses Coit	Jannette Tilton	Pneumonia
30	"	Eben N. Luce	47	4	17	Ind'ry Me.	S	"	S	Laborer	Brookf'd	Rochester	Jesse Luce	Frances A. Berry	Pneumonia
31	"	Ralph N. Cate	14	4	24	Rochester	M	"	"	"	"	Rochester	Edgar M. Cate		
31	E. Roch.	Fred H. Page	34	7	6	Acton, Me.	"	"	"	Laborer	Gilman't'n	Sandwich	John C. Page		

# APRIL.

1	E. Roch.	Myra S. Reed	59	9	5	New'd, Me.	F	W	M	Housewife	Strafford	Strafford	David Ham	Judith Lowe	Chronic Dif. Men. Ence.
2	Rochester	Adlie B. Young	74	7	28	Rochester	"	"	"	"	Rochester	Berwick	Chas. H. Hall	Eliza'h A. Willey	Pneumonia
1	"	Mary A. Corson	41	3	14	"	M	"	S	"	Sanf'd, Me.	S. John's'y	Jonat'n Wingate	Mehit'ble Tibbets	La Grippe
2	"	Clar'ce W. Bennett	82	6	5	"	F	"	M	Housewife	Rochester	Limerick	Albert Bennett	Carrie W. Sleeper	Peritonitis
4	"	Martha A. Watson	1	1		"	W	"	W	Retired	"	Strafford	Simon L. Horne	Lydia L. Parsons	Bright's Disease
6	"	Almira Foss	1	5		"	M	"	S	"	Canada	Canada	Moses Jenness	Susan Berry	Heart Disease & Dropsy
6	"	Henry Croteau	83	3	21	England	W	"	W	"	England	England	Fred Crotean	Delvina Vachon	Measles
7	"	John Holt	82	2	18	Epsom	"	"	S	"	Epsom	Epsom	Edman Holt	Esther	Influenza & Bronchitis
10	"	William Marden	82	2	8	Rochester	F	"	"	"	Alton	Leb'n, Me.	Wm. Marden	Marga't Bickford	Pneumonia
11	"	Palmer	70	3	10	Milton	M	"	"	Lawyer	Milton	Leb'n, Me.	Harry C. Palmer	Marg't Langley	Pneumonia
11	"	Jos'h H. Worcester	72	20		Rochester	M	"	M	"	Rochester	Rochester	Isaac Worcester	Julia Hilliard	Broncho Pneumonia
11	"	Gilman A. Pearl	47	6	15	Barri'g't'n	F	"	"	Fanner	Barri'g't'n	Barri'g't'n	Samuel A. Locke	Eliza'h W. Pearl	Heart Failure
12	"	Nellie L. Clark	57	1	25	Farm'g't'n	W	"	W	Dressmaker	Farm'g't'n	Leb'n, Me.	Samuel A. Locke	Sophro' Sherburn	Apoplexy
13	"	Mary F. Berry	2	8		Rochester	M	"	"	Houseke'p'r	Ireland	Ireland	Otis Scruton	May Rogers	Cancer of Stomach
14	"	Sidney A. Finch	68	3	23	"	M	"	W	"	Rochester	Lee	James Page	Mary Rogers	Pneumonia
15	"	Samuel F. Page	55	1	11	Ireland	F	"	W	Carpenter	Rochester	Ireland	James Page	Mary Farber	Meningitis
15	"	Jane McQuade	55	1	11	Rochester	F	"	S	Housewife	Rochester	Dover	Geo. Mace	Rose Shannon	Tuberculosis
20	"	Hope M. Mace	1	8		"	M	"	"	"	New York	Dover	Albert M. Slocum	Carrie E. Nutter	Cere. Spinal Meningitis
25	"	Leona Slocum	50	7	3	"	M	"	"	"	Ireland	Rochester	James McComb	Mary E. Webber	Whooping Cough
21	"	Harold J. McComb	4	8	27	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Albert Lord	Mary Kay	Membranous Group
21	"	Isadore Lord	50	7	3	Canada	F	"	D	Inn Keeper	"	"	James McComb	Nora McCauliff	Broncho Pneumonia
30	"	Myra A. Cressey	2	3	28	Rochester	"	"	S	"	Springv'le	Ireland	Ellsw'h Cressey		Anaemia

# MAY.

1	Roches'r	Hawley A. Keay	50	925	Leb'n, Me.	W	Shoemaker	Leb'n, Me.	Milton	Hawley A. Keay	Mary Remick	Pneumonia
3	"	Frank McNally	4	3	E. Roch.	S	"	Ireland	Ireland	Frank McNally	Mary Timmons	Intestinal Obstruction
3	"	Julia E. Burr	77	327	Beth'l, Me.	F	"	Bridg'd, Ms.	Bridg'd, Ms.	Peter Kimball	Betsy Emerson	Pneumonia
4	"	Irvine E. Horne	42	1	Farm'gt'n	M	Shoemaker	Farm'gt'n	Alton	Jona. W. Horne	Martha S. Bodge	Pneumonia
5	"	Jona. C. F. Ellis	55	921	Alton	W	Retired	"	Rochester	Moses Ellis	Hannah Bickford	Cancer of Liver
6	"	Sarah R. Meserve	6	14	"	F	"	Canada	Canada	Dudley Garland	Mollie Hurd	Diarrhoea
12	"	Adelard Enaire	1	129	Web'r, Me.	M	"	Canada	Canada	Moise Enaire	Zachias Higgins	Empyema
13	Roch.	Loretta T. Sinclair	1	129	Rochester	M	"	Web'r, Me.	Harpl, Me.	Zachias Higgins	Mary Popman	Pul Consumption
14	Roches'r	Walter Bilodeau	1	120	"	F	"	Newport	Tam wo'th	Louis Bilodeau	Sobron' Lessard	Pneumonia
16	"	Flora'e A. Rawson	2	720	"	"	"	Canada	Canada	S. J. Rawson	Maud E. Jeness	Non Closure of For. Oval
16	"	Ora E. Potvain	1	613	E. Roch.	"	"	Canada	Ireland	Daniel Potvain	G'orgia LaPlante	Pneumonia
16	"	Catherine McNally	72	5	Lee	M	"	Ireland	Ireland	John McNally	Mary Timmons	Inanition
17	"	Everett Parsons	74	3	Milton	F	Laborer	Milton	Tam wo'th	Isaac Wentworth	Elizabeth A. Sims	Tuberculosis
18	"	Willie Boufford	1	14	Rochester	F	"	Canada	Canada	John Boufford	Lucy Twombly	Gastritis
18	"	Hannah J. Hill	60	11	Strafford	M	Domestic	Canada	Strafford	David Avery	Delvina Boivin	Convulsions
23	"	Agnes J. McDonald	2	5	Rochester	S	"	Canada	Canada	Pat. J. McDonald	Sally Holmes	Pneumonia
24	"	Albina H. Boufford	2	3	"	"	"	"	"	John Boufford	Ellen Smith	Endocarditis
27	"	Walter C. Decker	45	1	Dorc'r, Ms.	M	Carpenter	B'thy, Me.	Acton, Me.	Nath'l C. Decker	Delvina Boivin	Capillary Bronchitis
29	"	Amasa F. Jones	72	724	Farm'gt'n	M	"	Farm'gt'n	Farm'gt'n	Amasa Jones	Jo'na F. Reynolds	Tuberculosis
30	"	Amos Tufts	75	1	Dover	"	Retired	Dover	Dover	David Tufts	Maria L. Edgerly	Cerebral Hemorrhage
8	Bru., Me.	Wealt'y D. Jenkins	92	827	Durham	F	Housewife	Durham	Bru., Me.	Geo. Day	Carlot Garland	Paralysis
											Deb'h Philbrook	Influenza

# JUNE.

1	Bar'gt'n	James W. Nason	1	8	Barri'gton	S	Housewife	Rochester	Farm'gt'n	W. H. S. Nason	Ellen F. Gray	Whooping Cough
3	Roches'r	Margaret Carrady	63		Ireland	M	"	Ireland	Ireland	And'r-w McQuade	Mary High	Apoplexy
11	"	Marie Gagne	3		Rochester	F	"	Canada	Canada	Theodore Gagne	Mary Lacasse	Debility
17	"	Carrie E. Cliford	11	1	"	S	"	Canada	Canada	Chas. H. Cliford	Eliza Buzzell	Cerebral Meningitis
18	"	Boston			"	"	"	"	"	Frank H. Boston	Flora R. Smith	Stillborn
19	"	Aime Landry	3	1	"	"	"	Dover	Dover	Joseph Landry	Demerise Pare	Broncho Pneumonia
5	"	Scott W. Varney	2	17	"	M	"	Rochester	Rochester	Chas. W. Varney	Em'a. M. Gerrish	Spinal Meningitis
24	"	Florida Grenier	43	616	Canada	F	"	Canada	Canada	Andrew Cullen	Zoe Jacques	Debility
28	"	Andrew C. Cullen	29	927	Rochester	M	"	Ireland	Ireland	Jas. Warburton	Ann Killeen	Tuberculosis
26	"	E. H. Warburton	32	24	England	M	Shoemaker	England	England	Jas. Warburton	Mary Hall	Valvular Dis'se of Heart
24	"	Joseph Grenier	53	3	Rochester	M	"	Canada	Canada	Doris Grenier	Fl'rida Perreault	Debility







# AUGUST.—Continued.

25	Roches't'r	John Stanton	79	1	Rochester	W	Housewife	Rochester	Frank B. Dame	Hannah Shaw	Cholera Morbus
26	"	Addie D. Dame	2	9	"	"	"	"	Joseph Dumarra	Octavia	Marasmus
30	"	Lillie E. Bell	3	8	Sha'h, Me.	S	"	"	Chas. W. Bell	Emma Perry	Tubercular Meningitis
31	"	Nellie E. Bell	8	8	Dover	"	"	"	Frank Fox	Bridget Cusker	Phthisis Pulmonatis
31	"	Bridget J. Fox	17	8	Canada	"	"	"	E. Lessard	Justine Gravelle	Septicæmia
26	F'm't'n	Parrie L. Terrier	26		Rochester	M	"	"			Cerebral Softening
27	Tilton	Geo. Fox Guppy	61		Rochester	W	Clerk				

# SEPTEMBER.

3	Roches't'r	Leon Wm. Gagne	14	Rochester	M	W	Housewife	Canada	Albert Gagne	Lea Landry	Debility
3	"	Lawrence G. Babb	8	17	"	"	"	Strafford	Frank H. Babb	L. M. Wentworth	Cholera Infantum
3	"	David F. Ham	71	29	"	"	"	Rochester	James Ham	Mary Foss	Suicide
11	"	Sarah J. Palmer	77	3	"	F	Housewife	Wat'o, Me.	Joel Warney	Melville Waldron	Chronic Bronchitis
14	"	M'ry A. Woodward	34		"	"	"	Wat'o, Me.	John L. Peavey	Louis Chase	Gastritis
15	"	Ida P. Gafney	45	7	Farm'g't'n	"	Housewife	Farm'g't'n	John L. Peavey	Emily Furber	Intestinal Cancer
18	"	Samuel G. Keeler	72	5	Dan., Con.	M	"	Conn.	Munsen Keeler	Mabel Crawford	Acute Indigestion
19	"	Arthur Montoning	70	10	Short Falls	"	"	Canada	Pierr' Montoning	Anastatic Dubois	Cholera Infantum
19	"	Lottie B. Boyle	23	4	Rochester	F	Housewife	Barr'ng't'n	Frank Reed	Abbie Webber	Pul. Tuberculosis
19	"	Susan A. Corson	49	11	Ber'k, Me.	"	"	Leb'n, Me.	Geo. Webber	Carrie Cate	Malignant Dis. of Spleen
20	"	Jasper Gray	20	29	Barr'g't'n	M	Shoemaker	Barr'ng't'n	John McCrillis	Eunice Foss	Diabetes Mellitus
21	E. Roch.	Joel S. McCrillis	64	6	E. Roch.	"	Brick Mas'n	Leb'n, Me.	John McCrillis	Charles Thompson	Cancer of Uterus
22	"	Etta M. Jones	40	22	Map'd, Me.	F	Mill Oper.	Acton, Me.	Ichabod Rogers	Cora B. Gray	Undeveloped Heart
24	Roches't'r	Hurd	40	29	Rochester	M	"	Rochester	Arthur E. Hurd	Sarah Rummells	Cystitis
24	"	Samuel R. Hanson	82	8	"	"	Retired	"	John Hanson	Sophro' Sherburn	Miscarriage (Accident'l)
29	"	Ada S. Miles	38	10	Barr'g't'n	F	Housewife	Barr'ng't'n	Samuel A. Locke	Emily McNaught	Consumption
30	"	Annie Mullaly	27	11	S. J's, N. B.	"	"	New Brun'	James Doyle		

# OCTOBER.

8	Roches't'r	Mary A. Horne	60	7	Rochester	F	W	Ireland	Henry R. Crawford	Mary A. Spencer	Pernicious Anaemia
12	"	Geo. W. Thompson	72	11	Wat'o, Me.	"	"	Wat'o, Me.	Geo. Thompson	Jane Walker	Cerebral Hemorrhage
14	"	Aime Boivin	1	2	Rochester	"	"	Canada	Theodore Boivin	Lea Jacques	Dysentery & Dyspepsia
24	"	Franklin Keneston	76	10	Den'k, Me.	"	"	Den'k, Me.	Job Keneston	Rebecca	Nephritis Glumosa
20	"	Albert F. Seavey	54	5	Barr'ng't'n	"	"	Barr'ng't'n	Henry Seavey	Rachel Corson	Bright's Disease

# NOVEMBER.

4	Roches'r	Edw. E. Leighton	32 11	3	Pemb., Me.	M	Shoemaker	Pemb., Me.	Lubec, Me.	Geo. Leighton	Lizzie	Pul. Tuberculosis
6	"	Annie Shaw	43 11	12	"	"	Housewife	Ireland	Ireland	John Reagan	Margrett Daly	Tuberculosis
9	"	Abednego Drew	61	5 21	"	"	Carriage Br	Barr'ngt'n	Barr'ngt'n	Swain Draw	Mehitable Hall	Pneumonia
19	"	Asa P. Hull	68	24	"	W	Farmer	Chels', Vt.	Chels', Vt.	James Hull	Sally Lougee	Cardiac Dilatation
19	"	Chas. Jenness, Jr.	73	9 20	Rochester	"	"	Rochester	Rochester	Chas. Jenness	Pecsey Smith	Pul. Tuberculosis
24	"	Harold K. Roberts	21	4	"	S	Farmer	"	Northw'd	Henry K. Roberts	Mabel E. Hill	Consumption
24	"	Augusta Davis Hill	54	22	Bid'd, Me.	M	Housewife	Bid'd, Me.	"	John D. Davis	Augusta Davis	Apoplexy

# DECEMBER.

2	Roches'r	Chas. T. Hartf'd, Jr.	54	8 10	Rochester	M	Shoemaker	Rochester	Rochester	Chas. T. Hartford	Ruth Trickey	Cancer of Stomach
3	"	James Dennett	45	"	Dover	"	Walter	"	"	"	"	Angina Pectoris
6	"	David L. Tyler	50	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Pneumonia
7	"	Elliah Brock	84	6 4	Strafford	W	Farmer	Strafford	Strafford	John Brock	Lydia Tuttle	Suicide
8	"	Rachel R. Scruton	83	10 27	"	F	Farmer	Rochester	Rollinsf'd	Ezra Roberts	Polly Willey	Old Age
10	"	Albert E. Wentw'th	57	8 4	"	M	Shoemaker	Ireland	Ireland	Chas. Wentworth	Alice Yenton	Cancer of Bowels
14	"	John Marshall	32	4 10	Ireland	M	"	Canada	Canada	Thos. Marshall	Annie Clark	Consumption
26	"	Gideon Fortier	11	11 14	Rochester	W	"	Barnstead	Barnstead	Peter Fortier	Delvina Jacques	Drowning
28	"	Hannah Ham	83	"	"	S	"	Canada	Canada	Caieb Clough	Sarah Clark	Cancer of Stomach
30	"	Odias Lessard	31	5 23	Rochester	M	Painter	Ireland	Ireland	Pierre Lessard	Georgina Gagne	Meningitis
31	"	Michael H. Griffin	38	5 17	Chas., Ms.	M	"	"	"	John Griffin	"	Chronic Nephritis



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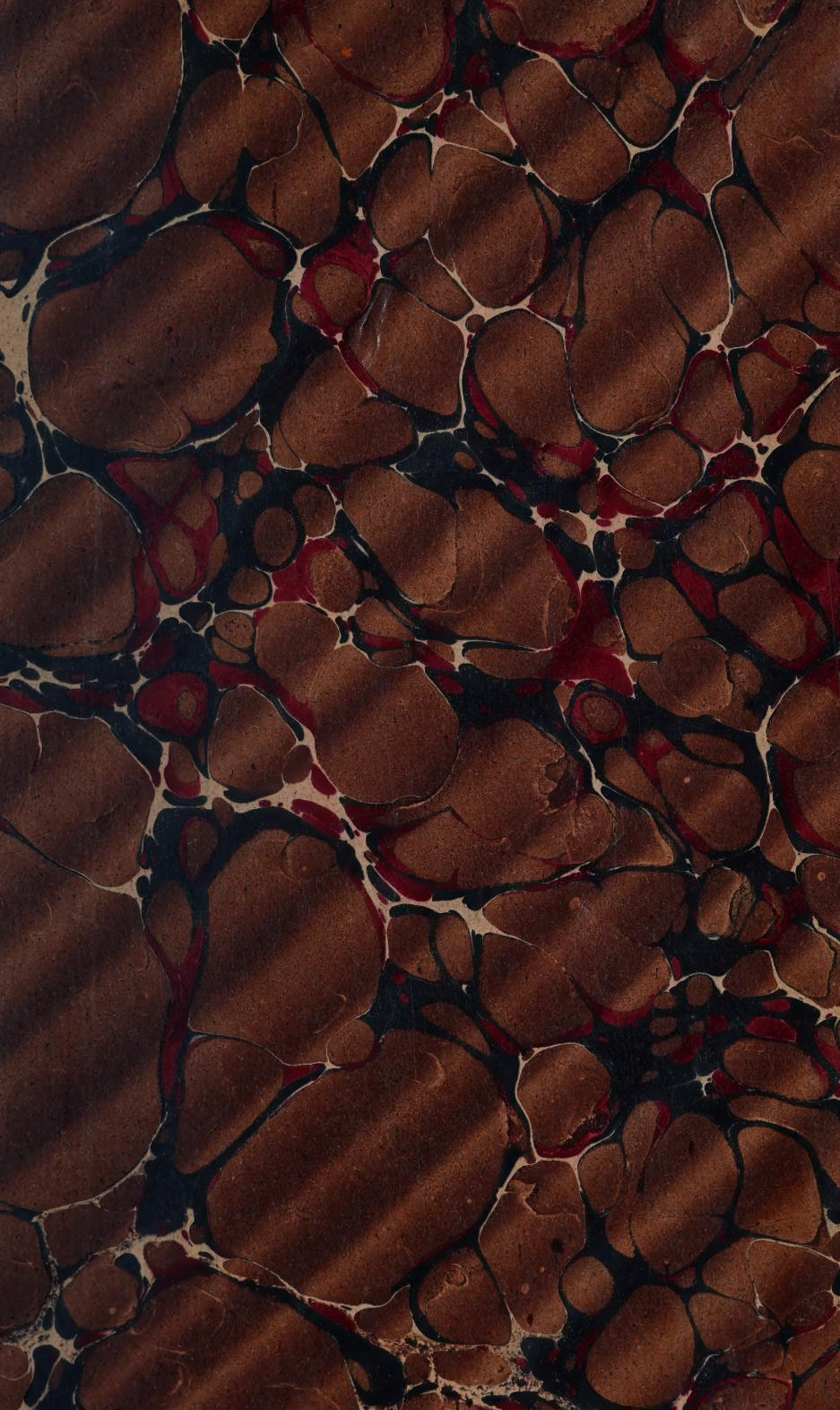














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